

1902-3.

56th Annual Report
OF
The General
Institution for the Blind,
Edgbaston, Birmingham.

*Adopted at the 56th Annual General Meeting, held at the
Council House, Birmingham, on Thursday, 2nd July, 1903.*

The Committee invite the careful perusal of their Report (see page 16), and also of the Press Notices enclosed.

They again appeal very earnestly for additional contributions to the Kindergarten Building Fund (see pages 19 & 69), and to the General Fund (see page 82).

They will be greatly obliged if, after you have read the Report, you would kindly forward it to others likely to be interested.

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upon the Residents of Birmingham and District to
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(For Price Lists see pages 109, 110 and 111).

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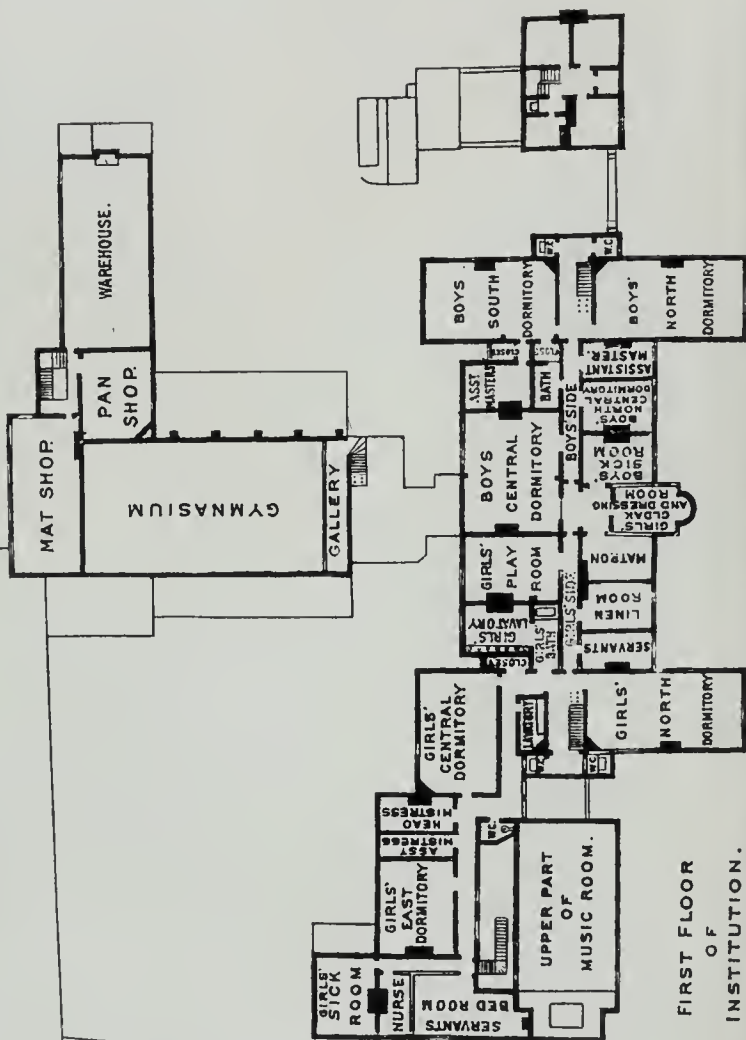
1. — *To educate the Blind, and instruct them in some useful occupation whereby they may be enabled to earn their livelihood by honest industry.*
2. — *To assist the Blind Pupils to commence business on their own account, and to help to sell the goods made by them.*
3. — *To employ Blind Day-workers in the Institution Workshops, and sell the Articles they make.*
4. — *To relieve and assist the Necessitous Blind.*
5. — *To visit and assist the Aged Blind in their own homes.*

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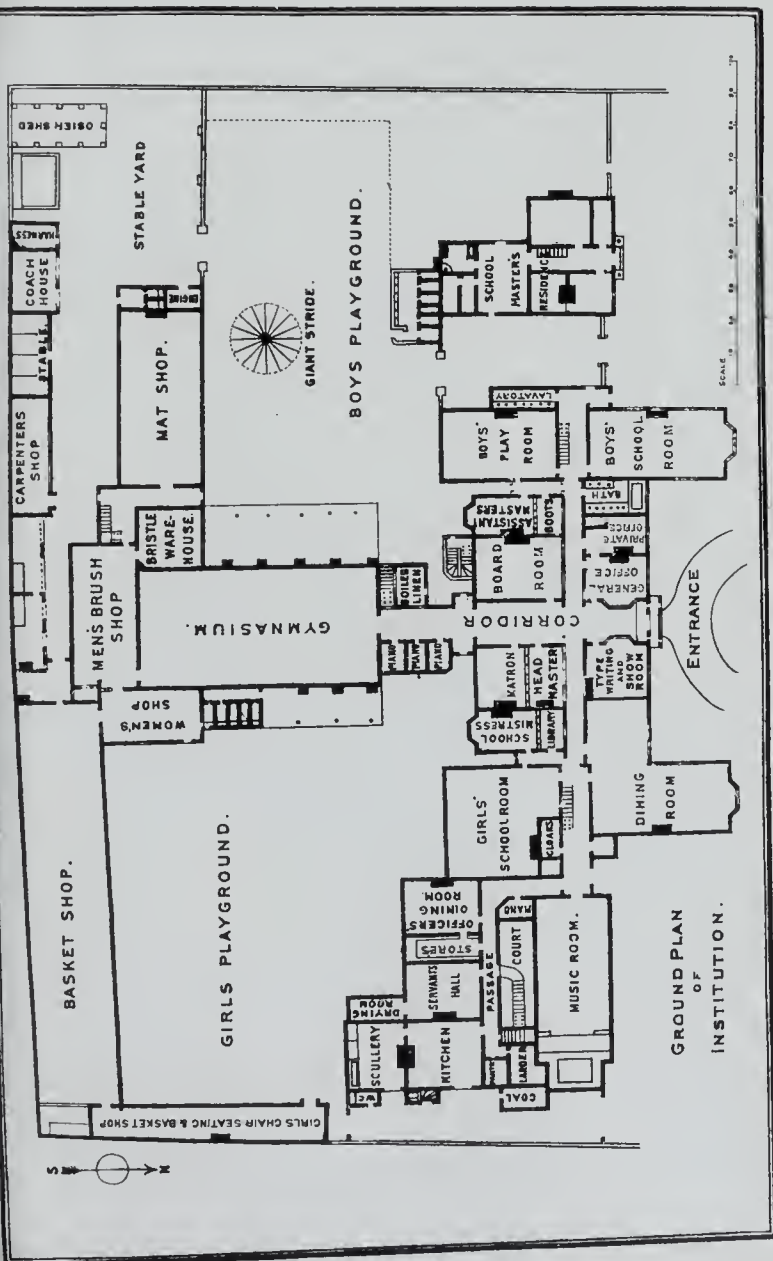




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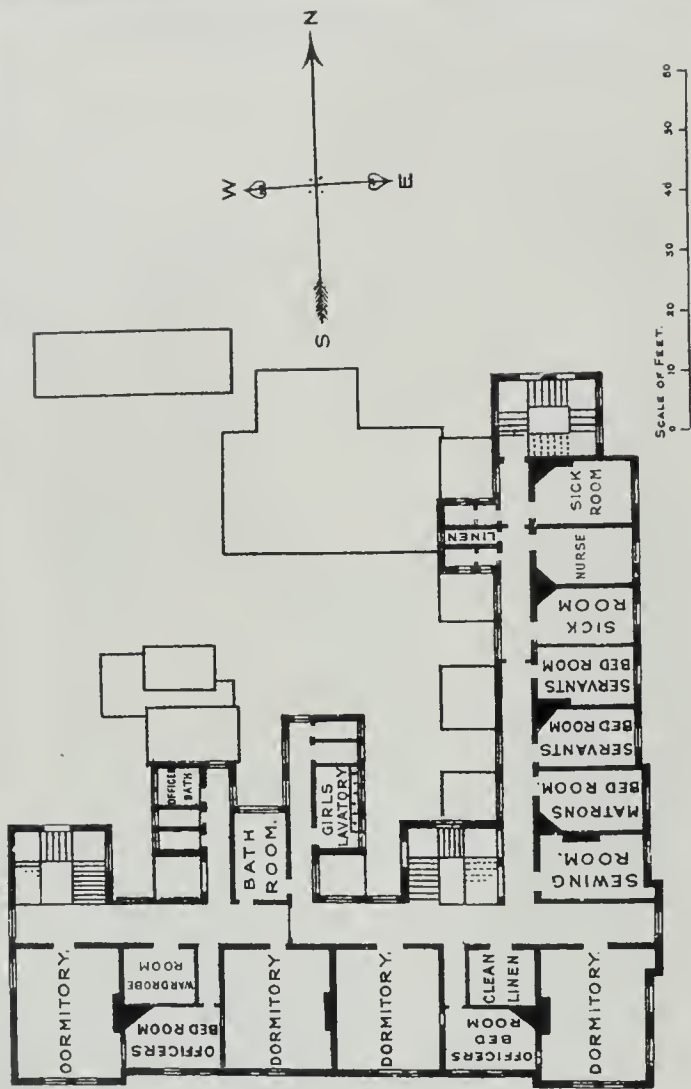


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MAIN INSTITUTION, EDGBASTON.

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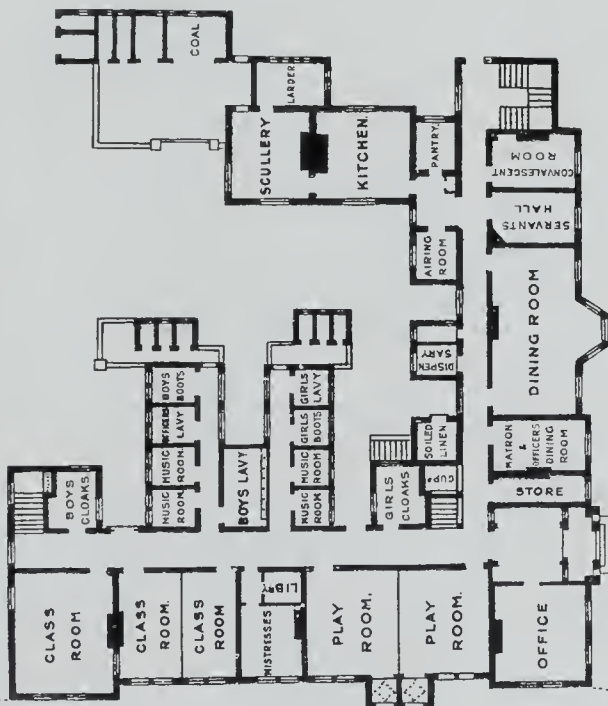
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PLAYGROUND.

GIRLS

PLAYGROUND.



KINDERGARTEN SCHOOL, HARBORNE.

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are earnestly solicited and will be thankfully received by the Committee. These may be paid into LLOYDS BANK LIMITED, Colmore Row, Birmingham, 72, Lombard Street, London, E.C., or any of their Branches; also to the Treasurer, HOWARD LLOYD, Grafton Manor, near Bromsgrove; and the Secretary, HENRY STAINSBY, at the Institution; or they can be paid THROUGH ANY BANKER for the Credit of the Institution with LLOYDS BANK LIMITED, Colmore Row, Birmingham.

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THE
FIFTY-SIXTH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

OF THE
GOVERNORS OF THE INSTITUTION

WAS HELD AT

THE COUNCIL HOUSE, BIRMINGHAM,

ON

THURSDAY, the 2nd July, 1903, at 12 o'clock noon.

Present :—

THE RIGHT HON. THE LORD MAYOR OF BIRMINGHAM
(Mr. ALDERMAN HALLEWELL ROGERS), one of the Vice-Presidents
of the Institution, IN THE CHAIR.

The Lady Mayoress ; Mrs. E. M. and Miss Goodman, Miss
Brierley (Matron), and Mrs. Golding ; Rev. J. John Hunt (Hon.
Chaplain) ; Messrs. Edwin Baker, W. H. Bowater (Hon. Surgeon
Dentist), Leonard H. Brierley, George Burkinshaw, Cuming Butler
(Hon. Secretary), Philip B. Chatwin, Alfred Docker, George Edwards,
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(Hon. Treasurer), Arthur L. Lowe (Chairman of Committee),
Conway Lowe, John Main (Head Master), F. W. V. Mitchell, James
Neale, C. B. Partridge, Amos Roe, John D. Scurrah, M.D. (Hon.
Medical Officer), C. Vaughan (Collector), Alfred Wilson, Henry
Stainsby (General Superintendent and Secretary), and others.

The HON. SECRETARY read the notice convening the meeting,
and also the list of those from whom apologies for non-attendance
had been received, viz. :—Osmund Airy, Esq., LL.D., H.M.I. ;
Messrs. John A. Berlyn, W. Ashby Bolton, R. Edward Couchman,
and John J. Plater.

The Chairman announced that the Report of the Committee for the year ended 31st March, 1903 (copies of which were supplied to all present) would be taken as read, and called upon the HON. TREASURER to read the Financial Statements with the Auditor's Certificate. These having been read, and also notice given that a full List of Donations, amounting to £10,825 19s. 7d., to the Kindergarten Building Fund had been distributed in the room, it was moved by The CHAIRMAN, seconded by ARTHUR L. LOWE, and

Resolved—I. "That the Report of the Committee and Financial Statements be received, adopted, and entered on the Minutes; that copies be printed and circulated among the Governors, Subscribers and Friends of the Institution, together with Lists of Subscriptions; and that the Acts of the Committee for the past year be confirmed."

Moved by The CHAIRMAN, seconded by GEORGE EDWARDS, and

Resolved—II. "That the best thanks of this Meeting be given to the Right Hon. Lord Calthorpe, President, and to the Vice-Presidents and Patronesses of the Institution, and that the following be elected for the current year"—
President: The Right Hon. Lord Calthorpe. *Vice-Presidents*: The Right Hon. The Lord Mayor of Birmingham, The Most Hon. The Marquess Townshend, The Right Hon. The Earl of Dartmouth, The Right Hon. The Earl of Craven, The Right Hon. The Earl of Powis, The Right Hon. The Earl of Bradford, The Right Hon. The Earl Howe, The Right Hon. The Earl of Lichfield, The Right Hon. The Earl of Dudley, The Right Hon. The Viscount Cobham, The Right Reverend The Lord Bishop of Worcester, The Right Reverend The Bishop of Coventry, The Right Hon. Lord Hatherton, The Right Hon. Lord Leigh, The Right Hon. Lord Norton, The Right Hon. Lord Burton, The Right Hon. Joseph Chamberlain, Lieut.-General The Hon. Somerset J. Gough-Calthorpe, Sir Henry Wiggin, Bart., Sir James Smith, The Very Rev. The Dean of Worcester, The Very Rev. The Dean of Lichfield. *Patronesses*: The Countess of Warwick, The Countess of Dudley, The Lady Calthorpe, The Lady Leigh, Lady Harcourt.

Moved by The CHAIRMAN, seconded by FREDK. HOUGHTON, and

Resolved—III. "That the thanks of this Meeting be given to the Committee for their services during the past year, and that the following gentlemen be elected Members of Committee for 1903-1904:—Harrison Barrow, George T. Bethune-Baker, J. Frederick Bolding, W. Ashby Bolton, Leonard H. Brierley, Cuming Butler, R. Edward Couchman, George Edwards, Edward M. Goodman, F. B. Goodman, Henry C. Holder, Rev. J. John Hunt, Henry Lea, Howard Lloyd, Conway Lowe, Arthur L. Lowe, F. W. V. Mitchell, The Rev. Canon Mansfield Owen, Frederick Rayner, John D. Scurrah, Joseph Sturge, R. Stuart Todd, and Alfred Wilson."

Moved by EDWARD M. GOODMAN, seconded by G. J. JOHNSON, and

Resolved—IV. "That the grateful thanks of this Meeting be presented to Mr. C. T. SAUNDERS for his most valued professional services as Hon. Solicitor to the Institution extending over a period of many years; that Mr. SAUNDERS' resignation be accepted with sincere regret, and that Mr. C. H. SAUNDERS be and is hereby elected to the office of Hon. Solicitor for the current year."

Moved by The CHAIRMAN, seconded by JAMES NEALE, and

Resolved—V. "That the best thanks of this Meeting be presented to Messrs. Cuming Butler and Howard Lloyd for their valued services during the past year, and that they be re-elected to the Honorary offices of Secretary, and Treasurer respectively, for the current year."

Moved by The CHAIRMAN, seconded by AMOS ROE, and

Resolved—VI. "That the best thanks of this Meeting be presented to The Chaplain, the Members of the Medical Staff and the Surgeon Dentist, for their valuable services during the past year, and that the Rev. J. John Hunt, Dr. Rickards, Dr. Scurah, Mr. John A. Berlyn, Mr. Priestley Smith, and Mr. Councillor W. H. Bowater, be elected, respectively, to these offices for the current year."

Moved by The CHAIRMAN, seconded by HENRY LEA, and

Resolved—VII. "That Mr. M. Gibson Hill, Chartered Accountant, be re-elected Auditor for the current year."

Moved by The CHAIRMAN, seconded by F. W. V. MITCHELL, and

Resolved—VIII. "That the best thanks of this Meeting be given to the Subscribers and Donors for their kind contributions; to the Collectors of the Adult Blind Home Teaching Branch; and to all those who have aided the Institution by gifts of various kinds during the past year."

Moved by ARTHUR L. LOWE, seconded by CUMING BUTLER, and

Resolved—IX. "That the most cordial thanks of this Meeting be given to The Right Hon. The Lord Mayor of Birmingham (Mr. Alderman Hallelwell Rogers) for his kindness in presiding on the present occasion."

By order of the Governors,

ARTHUR L. LOWE, *Chairman of Committee.*
CUMING BUTLER, *Hon. Secretary.*

Thursday, 2nd July, 1903.

FIFTY-SIXTH ANNUAL REPORT.

YOUR Committee have pleasure in presenting to the Governors their Report for the year ended 31st March, 1903.

Numbers Benefited. A reference to the objects of the Institution will shew how far-reaching and comprehensive they are ; the Blind of all ages and circumstances being eligible for, and receiving its benefits. The numbers dealt with in the various departments of the work during the past year are as follow :—

Resident Pupils	...	...	...	134
Day Pupils	...	...	...	12
Teachers	...	...	...	11
Canvasser	...	...	...	1
Day Workers	...	...	...	63
Traveller	...	...	...	1
Middlemore Trust Beneficiaries	...	...	...	20
Clerk	...	...	...	1
Porters	...	...	...	2
Under Nurse	...	...	...	1
Adult Blind	...	...	...	369
Total	...	...	...	<u>615</u>

Health. The health of the pupils has on the whole been remarkably good, but in so large a family (many of whom are naturally weakly) it is not to be expected that there can be perfect immunity from sickness, yet we have been mercifully spared from any disease of an epidemic character. Two serious cases have to be mentioned, namely: Willfred H. A. Joselyn, who was found to be suffering from phthisis, and was compelled to leave the school ; and Joseph Millward, whose death on 20th October, 1902, the Committee regret to record, the primary cause of death being erysipelas.

Mr. John A. Berlyn, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., has been appointed an Hon. Medical Officer of the Institution, and your Committee desire to record their high appreciation of the conscientious, efficient, and thorough manner in which Mr. Berlyn has discharged his duties.

The Committee very gratefully acknowledge the watchful care of the other Hon. Medical Officers, Dr. Rickards and Dr. Scurrah, the Hon. Ophthalmic Surgeon, Mr. Priestley Smith, and the Hon. Surgeon Dentist, Mr. W. H. Bowater, all of whom have been most attentive to the needs of the pupils.

Education and Training. The education and training of the pupils have been efficiently carried out in all departments, thanks to the conscientious and self-denying efforts of the teachers. The subjects taught in the school remain much the same as in former years, but in the manual training and handicraft department, Machine Knitting and Shampooing have been introduced. It is confidently hoped that these will prove remunerative occupations for the girls.

The Report of the Board of Education is as follows:—

“I can report most favourably on the condition of this Institution. The health and general welfare of the children are well cared for, and the domestic arrangements are in good hands. The Teachers are working earnestly, and the children are responsive and evidently much interested in their work. The gymnastics and the singing are very good.”

Music. In the department of Music good work has been done under the Head Music Master, Mr. A. R. Gaul, Mus. Bac. Only those pupils who have a decided aptitude for music are allowed to study it as a profession, but when such study is permitted no pains or reasonable

expense are spared to insure success. Much of the music is learnt entirely from the Embossed Braille Notation, and so perfect is this system that the most difficult music can be recorded in it. A class, principally of the younger pupils, is now engaged in learning the sacred Cantata, "The Holy City," from the Braille Music. One of the pupils, Frederick W. Priest, a Gardner Scholar, has just been appointed Organist of Meriden Church, near Coventry—a post for which he is fully competent. This young man has recently written a Sacred Cantata entitled "The Centurion's Servant," of the merits of which Mr. A. R. Gaul (whose own Cantatas enjoy world-wide popularity) speaks in the highest terms. It is hoped that Priest's composition will be published shortly. During the year Alfred Harris very creditably passed the examinations of the Associated Board of the Royal Academy of Music and Royal College of Music, in the rudiments of Music and in Pianoforte Playing (Senior Grade).

Pianoforte Tuning. Steady progress has been made in Pianoforte Tuning. Special attention has lately been given to the repairing and renovating of instruments, which has proved a great advantage to the elder pupils. Messrs. W. S. Riley & Son, 100, Corporation Street, still continue to allow the senior pupils to practise tuning and repairing in their showrooms and workshops. For this privilege your Committee are very grateful.

Successful Pupils. Of the nineteen pupils who have left during the year, the following have been successfully trained and well started in life :—

Leonard Cope. Learned Pianoforte Tuning. Has commenced business on his own account.

Thomas W. Firth. Learned Shorthand and Typewriting, which he followed for a time, and partially learned Pianoforte Tuning. Now appointed Collector to the Institution.

James Jones. Learned Basket Making. Has started business on his own account.

Gilbert G. Randall. Learned Chair Seating. Has started for himself in this trade, and a Tea Agency.

James E. Rogers. An efficient Basket Maker. Employed at the Institution for six months as journeyman.

Fanny Baker. Learned Basket Making. Now employed in the Institution Workshops as a Day Worker.

Editth L. Duffin. Learned Chair Seating and Basket Making. Now employed at Leicester Institution for the Blind.

Esther E. Sidwell. An efficient Basket Maker. Now practises on her own account at home, and has also a Tea Agency.

Alice E. Spencer. Learned Basket Making very efficiently. Practises this trade at home, and has also a Tea Agency.

Annie Stanley. Learned Music, and Shorthand and Typewriting. Now employed as Teacher of Shorthand and Typewriting at Exeter Institution for the Blind.

Gladys R. O. Walton. Trained for domestic service. Was employed at the Institution for a time, when she left of her own accord.

Of the remainder, one left because of the improvement of his sight, three were withdrawn by their friends, and one died.

A complete list of Donations to the Fund
Kindergarten for the purchase of land, and the erection
School. of the Kindergarten School, will be found
 on pages 69 to 74.

The first plans on which the original estimated cost of £20,000 was based have, owing to want of funds, been considerably remodelled and reduced, but not it is believed at the cost of efficiency. The new plans have been passed by the Board of Education, and tenders for the erection of the school in accordance with such plans have been received. The lowest tender, that of Messrs. Collins & Godfrey, of Tewkesbury, amounting to £10,467, has been accepted, and the work of building commenced. This tender includes all that the Committee consider necessary inside the building,

and a provision of £200 for contingencies, but does not include anything outside the building, except drains, and gas and water supplies, nor does it include furniture.

The present position is therefore as follows:—

Buildings, &c.	£11,221	
Outside work (estimated)	250	
Furniture	do.	1,000	
				—	12,471
Cost of land...	5,000
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					£17,471

Towards this proposed expenditure £10,826 has been received or promised.

It is proposed that only one-half of the land shall be retained for the purposes of the Kindergarten School, and that the remainder be let on Building Leases for 99 years. The Ground Rents from these Leases will it is estimated ultimately bring in an income of £200 per annum, which will form an endowment for the maintenance of the School.

Your Committee offer their grateful thanks to those friends who have so readily and generously assisted them, and they earnestly appeal to those who have not contributed, to give an adequate response, so that the remainder (£7,000) may be raised before the building is completed. The Committee of Gardner's Trust have kindly allowed their promise of £1,500 (of which £1,000 has actually been paid) to hold good until 31st December, 1903.

Middlemore Trust. The object of The Richard Middlemore Trust, founded in connection with this Institution by the late Richard Middlemore, is to assist blind persons on, or shortly after, leaving the Institution, to earn their own livelihood. To this end grants of money, tools, materials, musical instruments, &c., have been made to 20 blind persons during the past year.

Trade. Your Committee have always felt that the technical education of the blind must to a large extent fail in its object, if the knowledge gained cannot afterwards be used by them as a means of earning a livelihood. There is no better provision for the employment of the majority of the blind than the workshops which have been established for them in various parts of the country. The workshops in connection with this Institution have done much to supply the needs of the blind in Birmingham and the district. The sales in the Trading Department have now reached nearly £7,000 per annum, and the wages paid to the blind workers over £1,900, being increases over any previous year of £700 and £150 respectively.

Your Committee again very earnestly appeal to all friends of the Blind to patronise the Institution, and thus provide suitable employment for the blind workers. Were it not for the existence of the Trading Department, between 60 and 70 able and willing workers, handicapped by the terrible deprivation of sight, would have no means of subsistence. This fact was forcibly expressed recently by one of the workers, who when he lost his sight at the age of 29 was a married man with three children. He said :—

“ If it were not for such an Institution as this I do not know what the Blind would do; I and my family would certainly be in the workhouse, or I should have been begging from door to door.”

The Committee feel that they owe special thanks to many of the manufacturers of the city and district for the practical interest they have shewn in the Institution by purchasing the goods made by our blind employees.

**Sports and
Pastimes
Exhibition.**

The Committee gratefully acknowledge the generous kindness of the Directors of the Sports and Pastimes Exhibition in Bingley Hall for having gratuitously granted

a large space for a stand, and assisted in many and various ways to make the Institution's Exhibit a success. The results to the Institution were as follow :—

Sales	...	...	...	...	...	£61	0	0
(Credit sales and orders not included).								
Donations	...	...	...	...	...	73	2	3
(Including Benefit and Donation from Prize Distribution Fund).								
Expenses	...	...	...	...	...	£37	13	0

Public Demonstrations. Lectures, illustrated by limelight views, and interspersed with demonstrations by the pupils, have been given in various parts of the city and district by the Secretary and the Canvassing Lecturer. These, with Drawing Room Meetings, Organ Recitals, Concerts, &c., have created much interest in the Institution, and the Committee would gladly welcome invitations to give other similar entertainments.

Gardner's Trust. Your Committee gratefully acknowledge the help generously given by the Committee of Gardner's Trust for the Blind, by way of scholarships, grants, &c. They also tender to the Secretary of the Trust, Mr. H. J. Wilson, their best thanks for valuable advice and assistance freely given on many occasions.

Defective Blind Children. One of the results of the London Conference on the Blind, held in April, 1902, was the appointment of a Special Committee to ascertain the number of blind children in the country who suffer from other physical and mental defects in addition to blindness. Briefly put, the Committee found that there were about 160 such children in the country, and they reported that they considered these could best be provided for, both before and after school age, by securing "for their

use an estate sufficiently large to allow of the erection, as the demand for accommodation may necessitate, of comparatively small houses to accommodate 10 or 12 inmates each. On this plan the inmates could be cared for and instructed and occupied, both up to the age of 16 and upwards. And they could from time to time be classified in school and permanent homes, as might be found most conducive to their well-being."

Braille Committee. Another result of the same Conference was the formation of a Committee (of which your General Superintendent and Secretary is a member) to consider and report as to what improvements could be made in the Braille System of Embossed Reading and Writing. The British Braille Committee is now busily engaged on this very important question.

In connection with Embossed Writing, Messrs. Stainsby and Wayne (who were the inventors of the Shorthand Machine for the blind) have for some time past been working on a small portable Braille-writing Machine, by means of which the blind will be able to write braille on sheets of paper at a much greater speed than has hitherto been possible without using a very cumbersome and expensive machine. It is expected that these machines will be put on the market in a few weeks' time at 21/- each.

Girls' Friendly Society. The Committee have pleasure in acknowledging the good work which the G.F.S. is doing for the blind connected with the Institution. The elder girls may if they think fit join this Society, so that when they leave the Institution, friendly sympathy and help may be extended to them by the Members. Miss Lermitt, the Secretary of the Birmingham Central Branch, has been indefatigable and

very successful in her efforts for the blind young women of the city.

Adult Blind Branch.

The Adult Blind Home Teaching Branch has benefited 369 Members during the year. At the suggestion of one of the Lady Collectors of this Branch we insert an extract from a speech by your General Superintendent and Secretary at the London Conference on the Blind, as it explains in a few words the objects and work of this Branch:—

“In connection with our work for the blind at Birmingham we have an Adult Blind Home Teaching Branch with 400 members and two blind visitors—one male and one female. It is the least known of all the departments of our work, because it is carried on not in any palatial building but in the homes of the poor, infirm and aged blind; but of this I am convinced, that no part of our work is more owned and blessed of God than this department, as the many grateful letters I receive from members shew. The duties of the Home Visitor consist in teaching the blind to read, lending them books, relieving those in distress, and generally assisting them in any way within his power. Through his kind help many of the pensions are secured. He acts as Medical Missionary, by distributing Hospital and Dispensary Notes.”

The Visitors, Miss Beighton and Mr. Walford, (both blind), report:—

“The work among the Adult Blind has been most encouraging during the past year. The following pensions have been obtained from London Societies:—

1 of £25 from the Newsvendors' Association.

5 of £10 each, from Hetherington's Charity for the Blind.

3 of £5 each, from the Clothworkers' Company.

“These pensions are one of the most helpful ways of assisting the blind. Between 50 and 60 new cases were visited last year, many of them being very interesting. Our visits are much appreciated by the blind, and their friends welcome us most kindly into their homes.”

The Committee cordially thank those ladies who so kindly collected funds for this Branch during the past year, and those who have contributed. They gratefully acknowledge the annual gift of clothing from The Birmingham Needlework Guild, and also from The South Warwickshire Needlework Guild, and sincerely thank Mr. W. B. Gibbins for his handsome gift of embossed books.

Resignations. With very great regret your Committee have to report the resignation of the Chairman, Mr. E. M. Goodman, on account of ill-health. Son of the late Mr. J. D. Goodman (a member of the Committee and a Trustee of the Institution) and grandson of Mr. Thomas Goodman (one of the founders of the Institution, and its energetic first Treasurer), it was very fitting that Mr. E. M. Goodman should occupy the Chair. His intense interest in the cause of the Blind, and his great natural organising ability, contributed in no small degree to the very marked advances in all the departments of the Institution during recent years. Your Committee rejoice to know that Mr. Goodman will still remain with them as a colleague. By the unanimous vote of the Committee, Mr. Arthur L. Lowe was appointed Chairman.

Your Committee are also sorry to record the resignation of Mr. W. M. Gough, who has been a member of the Committee since 1869, and a Trustee since 1871. For many years Mr. Gough took a very active part in the management of the Institution, though recently his failing health has debarred him from actively participating in a work in which he takes deep interest.

Mr. Joseph Bailey, who has been a member of the Committee for eight years, has found it necessary to resign through ill-health and advancing years. Mr. Bailey's

practical knowledge and business experience were of great value to the Institution, while his kind and genial manner endeared him to all. His separation from the Institution is a distinct loss.

**Preferment
of
Canon Strange.**

Your Committee congratulate their colleague, the Rev. Canon Cresswell Strange, on his appointment to a Residentiary Canonry of Worcester Cathedral. They greatly regret that his preferment necessitates his withdrawal from the Committee, of which he has been a member for seven years, but they feel sure they may rely in the future, as they have in the past, on his ever ready help and kindly sympathy with their work among the blind.

Trustees. Vacancies in the Trusteeship have been filled by the appointment of Messrs. Arthur L. Lowe, G. H. Cuming Butler, Leonard H. Brierley, R. Edward Couchman, and Alfred Wilson.

Obituary. In the last Report the resignation of Mr. Nathaniel Thompson was referred to, and your Committee with profound regret have now to record his death, which took place in February last. From 1874, when Mr. Thompson first joined the Committee, to the day of his death, he took the warmest interest in the Institution. By his will he bequeathed, subject to life interests, £250 to the General Fund of the Institution, £100 to the Kindergarten School, and £50 to the Adult Blind Home Teaching Branch.

Mr. Geo. A. Panton, whose resignation was also recorded in the last Report, died in January of this year. For many years he devoted great ability and much time to the work of the Institution, of which he was Hon. Secretary

for six years, and your Committee feel that in him they have lost a real friend, and one whose sympathies went out largely to the blind. They greatly deplore his death.

Executive. The new arrangement mentioned in the last Report has given every satisfaction during the year that has passed. It has been to the Institution's manifest advantage to have Mr. Stainsby in sole control, and he continues to carry out his duties with great conscientiousness and ability. Miss Brierley has also shewn great success in organisation and economical management, and your Committee consider themselves fortunate in being able to retain her valuable services. Mr. Main, the Head Master, and Miss Cousins, the Head Mistress, continue their excellent work, and your Committee tender to them and to all members of the Staff their warm thanks.

The Committee gratefully acknowledge the receipt of legacies to the amount of £1,157 17s. od., particulars of which will be found in the accompanying Statements of Account.

The Subscriptions to the General Fund amounted to £855 2s. od., and to the Adult Blind Branch £69 13s. od., making a total of £924 15s. od. The Donations received for the General Fund totalled £195 18s. 4d., and for the Adult Blind Branch £22 18s. 9d. Full lists of these and the presents received will be found on pages 65, 77, and 79 of the Report.

Finance. The finances of the Institution are still a cause of grave anxiety. The General Account shews a deficit of £705 17s. 7d., and the Adult Blind Branch a deficiency on the year's working of £64 8s. 2d. Your

Committee are very grateful for the generous support of the many friends of the Institution, but they feel that there are others who might and should claim a share in the noble work of assisting those, who, on account of their physical defect, are unable without such assistance to help themselves. The Subscriptions shew an increase of £33 14s 6d., and the Donations of £50 15s. 9d. Inasmuch as the urgent needs of the blind are growing in far greater proportion than the income of the Institution, your Committee have striven to find some fresh sources of income; they have therefore appointed two blind young men, former pupils of the school, to canvass for smaller subscriptions and donations than those generally received, as the Committee are convinced that many people who could not afford to contribute largely would willingly give smaller sums. Mr. Frank L. Crowe and Mr. Thomas W. Firth wear the Institution Uniform and carry Official Receipt Books, &c. Your Committee ask that these young men, and the Canvassing Lecturer, Mr. A. V. Golding, may be favourably received, and gifts to the Institution funds entrusted to them.

In conclusion, the Committee desire to record their gratitude to Almighty God for the measure of success which has attended their efforts, and they go forward in full reliance upon His guidance for the future, and in the confidence that He who has blessed their efforts in the past will not fail them in the still greater sphere of work which lies in the future.

By order of the Committee,

ARTHUR L. LOWE, *Chairman.*

CUMING BUTLER, *Hon. Secretary.*

CARPENTER ROAD, EDGBASTON,

Monday, 22nd June, 1903.

TRADING ACCOUNT.

Dr.

Cr.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
To Stock as per last Account, viz.—						
" Manufactured Goods	1,494	12	4			
" Materials and Unfinished Goods ..	1,478	14	7			
" Tools, Machinery, and Horses, as per Valuation	863	11	10			
" Materials and Tools	4,337	13	2	3,836	18	9
" Gas Engine, Repairs, &c.	33	15	9			
" Wages of Sighted Teachers and Work-people	601	8	4	4,371	8	11
" Wages to Blind Workpeople	1,907	6	7			
" Percentages to Pupils	37	16	1			
" Salaries	412	2	2	2,546	11	0
" Travellers' Expenses	245	3	0			
" Stable and Van Account	130	19	7			
" Typewriting Office Expenses				788	4	9
				111	8	8
" Transfer to Income and Expenditure Account ..	11,654	12	1			
				230	8	3

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
By Sale of Brushes, Baskets, Mats, &c. ..	6,842	19	1			
" Sale of Materials to the Blind	136	16	8			
" Stock of Manufactured Goods	1,818	8	4	6,979	15	9
" Stock of Materials and unfinished Goods	2,197	4	7			
" Stock of Tools, Machinery, and Horses (as per valuation)	889	11	8	4,905	4	7

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LEGACY AND INVESTMENT ACCOUNT,

Dr.

To Griffiths, Edwin Thomas, to Endowment Fund	£	s.	d.
" Transfer to Income and Expenditure Account	100	0	0
" Balance forward, 31st March, 1903	705	17	7
	1,786	16	1

Cr.

By Balance, 31st March, 1902, brought forward	£	s.	d.
" Legacies received, viz. :—	1,434	6	8
— Archer, Hyla, Walsall	...	90	0
Bentley, Thomas, Acocks Green	...	90	0
Danks, Mrs. Ann, Lichfield (fifth instalment)	...	11	18
Edkins, Charles, Penns	...	50	0
Griffiths, Edwin Thomas, Birmingham	100	0	0
Hadley, Felix, Birmingham—Allotment on preliminary division	...	315	18
Lea, Mrs., Birmingham	...	300	0
Showell, Walter, Birmingham	...	200	0
	1,157	17	0

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KINDERGARTEN SCHOOL.

INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT.

Dr.

To One year's Rent charge	£	s.	d.
" Balance, 31st March, 1903, carried forward...	80	0	0
	9,058	10	7

£9,138 10 7

Cr.

By Balance, 31st March, 1902, brought forward	£	s.	d.
" Donations	6,629	4	8
" Subscriptions	2,314	5	9
" Bank Interest	...	19	14
	...	175	6
	2,509	5	11

£9,138 10 7

ADULT BLIND HOME TEACHING BRANCH

INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT.

Dr.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
To Balance being deficiency, 31st March, 1902, brought forward ...	332	10	6			
" Wages of Blind Teachers ...	131	6	0			
" Embossed Books, Printing, Travelling, &c. ...	18	17	9			
" Gifts to Blind Members ...	6	16	2			
	156	19	11			
	£489	10	5			

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
By Subscriptions ...	69	13	0			
" Donations ...	12	18	9			
" Gibbins, W. B., for the purchase of Embossed Books ...	10	0	0			
" Balance being deficiency 31st March, 1903, carried forward ...	396	18	8			
	£489	10	5			

Cr.

ADULT BLIND CLOTHING AND RELIEF FUND.

INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT.

Dr.

	£	s.	d.
To Clothing and Relief ...	20	1	8
" Balance, 31st March, 1903, carried forward ...	103	6	8
	£123	8	4

Cr.

	£	s.	d.
By Balance, 31st March, 1902, brought forward ...	123	8	4
	£123	8	4

“HOME FOR BLIND WOMEN.”

INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT.

[illegible]

"COMMON SENSE,"

INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT.

[illegible]

THE RICHARD MIDDLEMORE TRUST.

INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT.

	<u>Dr.</u>		Cr.
To Materials, Tools, and Appliances for the Blind			
" Balance, 31st March, 1903, carried forward ...	£ 70 13 2		£ s. d. 21 17 7
	... 53 9 5		
		By Balance, 31st March, 1902, brought forward ...	£ s. d. 72 12 11
		Interest, (Gas-Light & Coke Co.) ...	4 7 1
		Income Tax returned ...	1 5 0
		Rent of Pianos ...	24 0 0
		Sale of Piano to Blind Beneficiary ...	
			102 5 0
			<u>£124 2 7</u>

THE RICHARD MIDDLEMORE TRUST.

BALANCE SHEET.

BALANCE SHEET.	
Dr.	Cr.
To Trust Fund	£ s. d.
By Balance of Income and Expenditure Account	2,000 0 0
	53 9 5
	<u>£2,053 9 5</u>
	By Gas-Light and Coke Co.
	„ Institution for the Blind, Balance in hand...
	£ s. d.
	2,019 8 0
	34 1 5
	<u>£2,053 9 5</u>

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
To Balance of Accumulated Fund ...	10,622	11	0						
" Endowment, W. H. Ricketts ...	100	0	0						
" Mrs. Barrs ...	1,000	0	0						
" E. T. Griffiths ...	100	0	0						
				20,822	11	0			
By Balances in hand—									
Adult Blind Clothing and Relief	103	6	8						
The Richard Middleton Trust	34	1	5						
" Saxon System "	11	9	10						
Home for Blind Women	1	8	4						
Allowance to Pupils on their									
Earnings	33	12	7						
Kindergarten Building Fund ...	9,058	10	7						
				9,242	9	5			
Legacy and Investment Account ...				1,786	6	1			
Subscriptions for the year ended									
31st March, 1904, prepaid				67	13	6			
Subscriptions for the year ended 31st March,									
1904, Kindergarten Fund, prepaid				2	2	0			
Sundry Trade Creditors				201	16	10			
Lloyds bank Limited				7,938	19	4			
<p><i>I hereby certify that I have audited the above Accounts, and that they agree with the Books and Vouchers of the Institution. The Bank Balances agree with the Bankers' Pass Books, and the Securities for the Investments have been produced to me.</i></p>									
M. GIBSON HILL,									
Chartered Accountant,									
Birmingham, 11th May, 1903.									
				£40,061	18	2			
By INVESTMENTS, viz:—									
Freehold Ground Rents ...									
£587 L. & N. W. Ry. Co.'s, 3% ...									
Perpetual Debenture Stock ...									
£1,338 L. & N. W. Ry. Co.'s, 4% ...									
Consolidated Preference Stock				2,000	6	3			
Barrow-in-Furness Corporation 3% ...									
Debentures				1,000	0	0			
Swansea Gas Light Co.'s, 3½% ...									
Debentures				4,200	0	0			
Freehold Mortgage 4% ...				2,000	0	0			
Freehold Mortgage 3½% ...				3,000	0	0			
£104 17s. 1d. 2½% Consols (W. H. Ricketts' Endowment) ...				100	0	0			
£1,007 10s. Birmingham Corporation 3½% Stock (Mrs. Barrs' Endowment) ...				1,000	0	0			
£100 Birmingham Corporation 3% Stock (E. T. Griffiths' Endowment) ...				100	0	0			
Freehold Land at Harborne				5,052	17	3			
							18,923	19	9
Lloyds Bank Ltd., Deposit Account							9,136	7	7
Adult Blind Income and Expenditure Account									
Cash in hand—							396	18	8
Secretary							25	0	0
Matron							20	0	0
Travelers							12	10	0
Post Office Savings Bank							12	18	2
Trading Account, Stock, Tools, &c.				4,905	4	7			
Sundry Trade Debtors				1,001	19	8			
							5,907	4	3
							£40,061	18	2

THE GENERAL INSTITUTION FOR THE BLIND, EDGBASTON, BIRMINGHAM.

Table showing Growth of Institution since its foundation.

Year ended March 25th.	No. of Beds.	Resident Pupils during the year.	Day Pupils.	Blind Teachers.	Blind Day Workers.	Blind Travelers.	Middle-aged and other Beneficiaries.	Blind Clerk and Canvasser.	Blind Porters.	Other Servants (Blind).	Adult Blind visited and assisted at their own homes.	Total No. of Blind Persons benefited during the year.	Income excluding Legacies and Sales of Manufactured Goods.	Legacies only.	Total Income including Legacies, but not Sales of Manufactured Goods.	Sales of Manufactured Goods.	Wages to Blind Work-people.
1848	15	20										20	£247	Nil.	£247	£	6
1849	15	25										25	1859	Nil.	1859	21	
1850	15	25										25	2006	Nil.	2006	44	
1851	15	25										25	1635	£110	1745	47	
1852	45	28										28	1722	140	1862	37	
1853	45	43										43	2199	150	2349	77	
1854	45	47		1								47	2108	620	2728	100	
1855	45	50		1								50	1770	265	2035	112	
1856	45	49		1								49	1819	152	1971	149	
1857	45	55		1								55	1762	25	1787	180	
1858	50	60		2								60	1980	74	2054	229	
1859	50	65		3	1						83	148	2240	305	2545	192	
1860	50	62		5	1						75	137	1837	90	1927	176	
1861	55	70		4	1						91	161	1786	590	2376	240	
1862	55	65		5	1						103	168	2012	220	2232	310	
1863	55	69		5	1						116	185	1930	68	1998	404	
1864	55	66		4	3						130	196	1803	274	2077	453	
1865	55	68		4	5						137	205	2166	385	2351	486	
1866	65	75		4	5	1					137	212	2037	310	2347	778	
1867	65	67		4	6	1					143	216	1972	610	2582	1005	
1868	65	70		4	9	1					148	227	2384	824	3208	1183	
1869	65	72		5	11	1					140	223	1758	1579	3337	1240	
1870	65	74		6	11	2					144	226	1790	240	2030	1266	

1871	65	71	6	14	2					148	233	1945	569	2514	1629
1872	65	76	6	19	2					150	245	1840	853	2693	1861
1873	65	73	6	13	2					162	248	1998	1188	3186	2035
1874	65	75	6	13	2					158	246	2310	210	2520	2087
1875	65	76	6	12	2					173	261	2060	320	2380	2143
1876	65	78	6	18	2					178	274	2213	840	3083	2175
1877	65	84	6	17	2					189	290	2135	1578	4013	2119
1878	65	80	6	15	2					198	293	2271	998	3269	2078
1879	65	76	6	16	2					211	303	2085	111	2196	1941
1880	65	69	6	20	2					230	319	2407	1372	3779	1979
1881	65	69	6	19	2					242	330	2838	189	3027	1798
1882	65	86	6	19	2					241	346	2486	2281	4767	1857
1883	65	84	6	19	2					242	348	2534	1080	3614	1948
1884	65	86	6	19	2					253	362	3319	969	4288	1901
1885	65	73	6	19	2					257	358	2369	2119	4488	1855
1886	65	74	6	19	2					268	365	2763	1384	4147	1955
1887	65	74	6	16	2					277	371	2523	1290	3813	1942
1888	65	77	7	14	2					279	377	2462	903	3365	2004
1889	65	87	7	16	2					292	402	2738	415	3153	1973
1890	65	87	7	17	2					292	403	2617	1616	4233	2141
1891	65	87	7	17	2					296	407	2639	256	2895	2197
1892	65	75	9	18	2					296	398	2598	328	2926	2380
1893	116	87	10	18	2					299	414	2721	2327	5048	2366
1894	116	85	10	19	2					319	433	2697	881	3578	2486
*1895	116	117	2	11	20	2				311	461	3520	1273	4793	2481
*1896	116	128	2	11	23	2				324	488	3606	465	4071	2951
*1897	116	121	3	11	30	3	16			334	518	4473	Nil.	4473	3106
*1898	116	138	5	11	37	2	24			354	571	4917	2577	7494	3072
*1899	116	129	4	11	44	2	28	1		376	595	4527	1055	5582	4379
*1900	116	142	5	11	48	1	25	1	2	367	603	5022	615	5637	4977
*1901	116	140	4	11	57	1	24	1	2	371	612	5033	484	5517	5908
*1902	116	127	10	11	61	1	19	1	2	372	605	4863	3241	8104	6267
*1903	116	134	12	11	63	1	20	2	1	369	615	5251	1157	6408	6979

* Year ended March 31st.

+ First Trading Account published.

GENERAL LAWS.

I. That the designation of this Establishment shall be "THE GENERAL INSTITUTION FOR THE BLIND."

II. That the object of the Institution shall be the instruction and employment of the blind of both sexes, some as boarders, others as day pupils: the instruction to include the daily reading of the Holy Scriptures, and all the employment to be of a useful character; and also the relief and assistance of the necessitous blind.

III. That the Institution shall be supported by Donations and Annual Subscriptions; by payments in behalf of the blind; and the profits arising from their industry.

IV. That the management of the Institution shall be entrusted to a Committee of not less than twelve gentlemen being Governors, together with the Chaplain (who shall be a Clergyman of the Church of England), the Trustees, the Treasurer, and the Hon. Secretary, who shall be ex-officio members.

V. That all annual Subscribers of one guinea and upwards, and all Donors of ten guineas and upwards, shall be Governors.

VI. That there shall be an Annual General Meeting of the Governors on such day as the Committee may appoint, to be convened by advertisement at least fourteen days previously, for the purpose of receiving the report of the Committee, passing the accounts, appointing the Officers and Committee for the ensuing year, and for transacting the general business of the Institution.

VII. That at such Annual General Meeting, Subscribers of one guinea a year, and Donors of ten guineas, shall be entitled

to one vote, and every additional contribution of equal amount shall entitle to an additional vote. No Governor whose subscription is in arrear shall be entitled to vote.

VIII. That the Committee shall meet once in every month, or oftener if necessary, and that three shall form a quorum.

IX. That the Committee shall have power to appoint Trustees; to make, alter, or repeal bye-laws, rules, and regulations for the admission, employment, and removal of the pupils; appoint and remove all teachers and servants, and pay such salaries, wages, and allowances as they shall think reasonable; they shall also have power to appoint any of the Governors to be Visitors of the Institution, and shall also have the management and application of the property, funds, yearly and other income.

X. That no purchase of land or premises, or any material alterations or additions be made to any building (beyond necessary repairs) without the sanction of the next Annual or a Special General Meeting of the Governors, to be convened for that purpose.

XI. That the moneys of the Institution may be invested in any investment for the time being authorised or sanctioned by the Court of Chancery or any Act of Parliament as an investment for trust moneys, or in the Debentures of any Company in England, incorporated by Act of Parliament, and paying a Dividend, or upon the Security of any County, Borough, or other Rates, authorised to be levied and mortgaged by any Act of Parliament, or in the Purchase or on Mortgage of Real Estate.

XII. That the Committee shall be empowered to call General Meetings of the Governors for Special purposes (when and as often as they shall think necessary), and shall also be

required to do so at any time on the request, in writing, of any ten Governors, stating the specific purpose of the said proposed Meeting; and ten days' notice, at least, of such Special General Meeting, and of the special object intended, shall be given, by public advertisement, in one or more of the Birmingham newspapers.

XIII. That there shall be family worship, including the reading of some portion of Holy Scripture, morning and evening, daily, in the Institution, at which all the boarders shall be required to be present. The prayers and portions of Holy Scripture to be read shall be appointed by the Chaplain, to whom the general regulation of the religious instruction of the pupils shall be confided.

XIV. That on the Lord's Day the pupils shall attend Public Worship of the Church of England twice, under the care of the Superintendent; but if any are Dissenters, they may, on proper application to the Committee, be permitted to attend their respective places of worship, provided that they are under the charge of some person appointed by their parents or guardians, with the approbation of the Committee.

XV. That any sick inmate, being a Dissenter, may, at his or her request, be visited by a Minister of his or her own denomination.

XVI. That no alteration of these laws shall be made at any Annual or Special General Meeting without the approbation of a majority, consisting of at least two-thirds of the Governors then present; nor without notice of the intention to propose such alterations having been given to the Committee one month previously, and that it shall be announced by them in the advertisement calling such Annual or Special Meeting.

INFORMATION RESPECTING THE ADMISSION OF PUPILS INTO THE INSTITUTION.

COMPULSORY EDUCATION OF THE BLIND.

Since the passing of the Elementary Education (Blind and Deaf Children) Act, 1893, all blind children between the ages of five and sixteen must attend a certified School for the Blind.

APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION.

Persons desiring a "Form of Application" should write to the Secretary. (A fac-simile of the "Form" will be found on pages 43 to 46 of this Report). When the "Form" is filled up it should be returned to the Secretary.

ELECTION OF PUPILS.

All Pupils are elected by the Committee.

QUALIFICATIONS.

Applicants are eligible for admission until twenty-one years of age, but preference is given to those under sixteen. They must either be totally blind, or not possessed of sufficient sight to be able to read the ordinary school books used by sighted children. They must also be free from bodily and mental defects which would prevent them receiving instruction, or from following some useful occupation.

HOLIDAYS.

There are holidays twice during the year, when all pupils are required to return to their homes: *viz.*—five weeks at Midsummer, and four weeks at Christmas.

The travelling expenses must in all cases be borne by those who are responsible for the payments.

By a concession of the Railway Companies, all blind pupils leaving Institutions for their Midsummer or Christmas holidays, and returning at the close of the vacations, are allowed to travel the double journey for single fare.

VISITING DAYS.

BOYS—First Saturday in the month, from 1.30 to 5 p.m.

GIRLS—Last Saturday in the month, from 1.30 to 5 p.m.

CHARGES.

A uniform charge of £6 11s. 3d. per quarter is made.

This payment *includes* board, lodging, education, and clothing after the first outfit, but is exclusive of travelling expenses.

All payments must be made in advance.

In case the parents are too poor to make the necessary payments for their child's education, application should be made to the Clerk of the School Authority) for the district in which the child resides. The School Authority is bound to take steps to educate the child by sending it to a Certified School until it reaches the age of sixteen. If the circumstances of the parents permit, the School Authority may demand from them a contribution towards the cost of their child's education. The Guardians of the Poor have powers to make the payments *after* the age of sixteen, and if the parents cannot afford to do so, application should be made to the Guardians.

N.B.—Although payments are made to the Institution towards the maintenance and education of the Blind, it must be clearly understood that *these are by no means sufficient for the purpose*, the remainder requiring to be supplied by the benefactions of the Charitable.

COPY OF APPLICATION FORMS FOR THE ADMISSION OF PUPILS.

QUESTIONS

TO BE ANSWERED ON APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION.

1. What is the name of the applicant ?
2. Age last birthday, and date of birth ?
3. Present residence ?
4. What are the names and occupations of the applicant's parents or guardians ?
5. Can the applicant wash, dress, and feed h.....self ?
6. Is the applicant truthful, honest, and well-conducted ?
7. Has the applicant ever begged, or been used for the purposes of begging, or sung, or played on any musical instrument in the streets or elsewhere ?
8. Has the applicant been in any other Institution ? If so, which, and why did leave ?
- *9. Has the applicant received any education or religious instruction ? If so, of what kind ?
- *10. How has the applicant been employed ?
- *11. Is the applicant married ?

* In case of the application being made by a School Authority, these questions need not be answered.

We, the undersigned, do hereby certify that, to the best of our knowledge and belief, the answers to the foregoing questions are true.

Name..... { Occupation
Address

Name..... { Occupation
Address

Date.....

This Certificate should be signed by the Parent or Guardian, and a Minister of Religion to whom the applicant is personally known ; or, in case of a School Authority or Board of Guardians, by the Clerk to the Board, and the School Attendance Officer or Master of the Workhouse for the district in which the child resides.

N.B.—It is requested that special care should be taken in answering the foregoing questions, as (should the Candidate be elected) the replies will materially assist the Managers of the Institution in dealing with individual cases.

QUESTIONS

TO BE ANSWERED BY A MEDICAL MAN.

1. How long have you known _____ ?
2. What opportunity have you had of forming an opinion of _____ blindness ?
3. Can _____ read the ordinary school books used by sighted children ?
4. State your opinion as to the character and cause of the defect of sight, and whether the blindness is likely to be permanent.
5. How long has the applicant been blind ?
- *6. Has the applicant sufficient *intellect* and *health* to be capable of receiving instruction ?
7. Has the applicant (1) been Vaccinated ? or (2) had Smallpox ?
8. Does the applicant show any signs of imbecility ?
9. Has the applicant ever had any fits ? If so, of what nature, and on what date did the last occur ?
10. Is the applicant now healthy, and free from all dangerous or communicable diseases ?
11. Does applicant suffer from congenital syphilis, or from any bodily weakness or deformity, blindness excepted ?
12. Do you consider the applicant a suitable inmate for this Institution ?

* Special attention is directed to the fact that this is an Educational Institution, and only available for those blind children who are capable of receiving instruction. Applicants are ineligible whose mental faculties are in any way deficient. The Institution is not an *Asylum*.

Signed.....

Date.....

Qualification

Address.....

FORM OF ENGAGEMENT FOR SCHOOL AUTHORITIES OR BOARDS OF GUARDIANS.

I, the undersigned, as Clerk of the _____
and on their behalf, do hereby agree to pay, or cause to be paid, to the Secretary
for the time being of The General Institution for the Blind, Birmingham, the
sum of Twenty-six Pounds Five Shillings annually, by quarterly payments in ad-
vance, for the maintenance and education of _____ during
continuation in the Institution ; to undertake that
shall be provided for during the usual vacations, to pay all travelling expenses, and
in case of sickness, death, deficiency of intellect, improper conduct, or
unsuitability of any kind, to remove _____ from the Institution immediately

upon receiving notice to that effect, without requiring the return of any portion of the payment made by me for the then current quarter; or in case of my neglect to comply with such notice, to pay all costs incurred by the Committee of the Institution attending such removal.

I further undertake that the said
shall be provided with clothing as per list, upon entrance into the
Institution.

Signed..... Clerk of
A Sixpenny Agreement Stamp must be affixed here. School Authority.
Date [or]
Board of Guardians.

FORM OF ENGAGEMENT FOR PRIVATE CASES.

We, the undersigned, hereby jointly and severally agree to pay, or cause to be paid, to the Secretary for the time being of The General Institution for the Blind, Birmingham, the sum of Twenty-six Pounds Five Shillings annually, by quarterly payments in advance, for the maintenance and education of
during continuance in the Institution; to provide for during
the usual vacations, to pay all travelling expenses, and in case of sickness, death, deficiency of intellect, improper conduct, unsuitability of any kind, or completion of education, to remove from the Institution immediately upon receiving notice to that effect, without requiring the return of any portion of the payment made by us for the then current quarter; or in case of our neglect to comply with such notice, to pay all costs incurred by the Committee of the Institution attending such removal. And we further undertake to provide with sufficient and proper clothing, as per list, upon entrance into the Institution.

Signed..... Occupation..... Address.....
A Sixpenny Agreement Stamp must be affixed here.
Signed..... Occupation..... Address.....
Date

Witness to the Signatures

N B.—This Engagement should be signed by two responsible persons, approved by the Committee, not being the parents of the applicant.

CERTIFICATE OF BIRTH.

All Applications must be accompanied by a Certificate of Birth.

LIST OF CLOTHING

REQUIRED TO BE BROUGHT BY A PUPIL ON ENTERING THE SCHOOL.

BOYS.

One dark grey or blue Sunday Suit
 Two dark grey or blue Week-day ditto
 One dark Overcoat
 Three Vests
 Four Shirts
 Three Night ditto
 Six Collars
 Two Neckties
 Four Aprons, if over 12 years of age
 Six Pocket Handkerchiefs
 Four Pairs of Stockings, Dark
 Worsted
 Two Pairs of Strong Elastic Garters
 Two Pairs of Braces
 One Pair of Slippers
 Two Pairs of Strong Boots
 One black hard felt hat, and one navy
 blue or black cap—boys under 10
 two caps only
 Comb and Hair Brush
 Small Toothed Comb
 Tooth Brush
 Two Small Bags for Comb and Hair
 Brush

GIRLS.

One navy blue Sunday Dress
 Two dark navy blue Week-day
 Dresses, not Print
 Two Coloured Petticoats
 Two Flannel ditto
 Four Chemises
 Three Vests
 Three Night Gowns
 Four Pairs of Drawers
 Two Pairs of Stays
 Six Pocket Handkerchiefs
 Four Pinafores or Aprons
 Four Pairs of Black Stockings
 Two Pairs of Strong Elastic Garters
 One black or blue Waterproof
 One black Cloth Jacket
 Two black Sailor Hats
 One Cap and Wrap for Playground
 One Pair of Slippers
 Two Pairs of Boots or Shoes
 Comb and Hair Brush
 Small Toothed Comb
 Tooth Brush
 Two Small Bags for Comb and Hair
 Brush

The Clothing (which should *not* be marked) must be clean, and brought in a Strong Bag made of BLACK LINEN. Boxes cannot be received.

PREVENTION OF BLINDNESS.

ADVICE TO MOTHERS AND NURSES.

It cannot be too widely made known that many persons are blinded every year by diseases which are preventible and curable. The most destructive of these diseases is the *Ophthalmia of new-born infants*. Nearly one-third of the present Inmates of this Institution owe their blindness to this cause, and the same high proportion has been found in other schools for the Blind. It is not too much to say that in nearly all these cases the eyesight might have been saved by proper treatment at the commencement of the disease. The disaster usually arises through ignorance of the danger and consequent delay in obtaining medical treatment.

This form of Ophthalmia is due to the infection of the baby's eyes with irritating matter during or very soon after birth. About the third day after birth—sometimes earlier, sometimes a little later—the child's eyelids become red and swollen, and begin to discharge yellow matter. *This is the sign of danger.* Skilled medical advice should be obtained without a day's delay, and in the meantime the baby's eyes should be thoroughly and frequently cleansed in the following way :—

Place the baby on its back, with a cloth under the head ; separate the eyelids gently with the thumb and finger, and with a bit of soft, clean rag drip warm water freely into the eyes, so as to wash away the matter as thoroughly as possible. Work the lids about gently over the eyes so as to bring the

matter out from underneath them, and do not be content till you have got it all away. Repeat this, in a bad case, at least every hour through the day, and every two hours through the night. In addition to this the drops or solution ordered by the medical man must be regularly and carefully used according to his directions. If this treatment be begun at once the eyes will probably be out of danger in a few days. If it be neglected they may be permanently blinded within a fortnight.

Caution.—The discharge is very catching. Be most careful that no particle of it finds its way to your own eyes. Burn every bit of rag after you have used it, and wash your hands thoroughly.

In Maternity Hospitals and similar Institutions for the help of women of the poorer classes, this disease was formerly very common. It has now been almost banished from such Institutions by the routine practice of dropping into the eyes of every infant, immediately after birth, one drop of a 2 per cent. solution of nitrate of silver. The non-infected infants are not injured in any way thereby, while the infected ones are saved from possible disaster. The general adoption of this practice, especially among the poorer classes, would undoubtedly diminish the number of persons blinded from birth to a very considerable extent.

PRIESTLEY SMITH,
Ophthalmic Surgeon to the Institution.

THE GENERAL INSTITUTION FOR THE BLIND, EDGBASTON, BIRMINGHAM. DIETARY TABLE.

Supper, 7 and 8.30.

Tea, 5 p.m.

Dinner, 1 p.m.

Breakfast, 8 a.m.

SUNDAY ...	Cocoa. Bread and Butter	Cold roast beef. Hot potatoes and gravy. Fruit pies or puddings.	Tea. Bread and butter. Cake, or bun.	Bread and cheese. Bread and dripping.	Seniors Juniors
MONDAY ...	Coffee or milk. Bread and butter. Bread and dripping.	Hot Boiled Salt Beef and three vegetables. Bread.	Tea. Bread and butter. and Bread and jam.	Bread and cheese. Bread and dripping.	Seniors Juniors
TUESDAY ...	Porridge. Coffee or milk Bread and butter Bread and dripping	Soup containing meat and vegetables. Bread. Jam Roll Pudding.	Tea. Bread and butter. and Bread and dripping.	Bread and cheese. Bread and dripping.	Seniors Juniors
WEDNESDAY	Coffee or milk. Bread and butter. Bread and dripping.	Hot Roast Beef and potatoes. Bread.	Tea. Bread and butter and Bread and dripping.	Bread and cheese. Bread and dripping.	Seniors Juniors
THURSDAY	Porridge. Coffee or milk. Bread and butter. Bread and dripping.	Soup containing meat and vegetables. Bread. Ginger or treacle pudding.	Tea. Bread and butter. and Bread and dripping.	Bread and cheese. Bread and dripping.	Seniors Juniors
FRIDAY ...	Coffee or milk. Bread and butter. Bread and dripping.	Hot Roast Mutton, or Fish, with two vegetables. Bread. Rabbits occasionally.	Tea. Bread and butter and Bread and dripping.	Bread and cheese. Bread and dripping.	Seniors Juniors
SATURDAY ...	Coffee or milk. Bread and butter. Bread and dripping.	Soup or Stew, with vegetables and bread. Milk Puddings.	Tea. Bread and butter. and Bread and dripping.	Bread and cheese. Bread and dripping.	Seniors Juniors

A piece of Bread allowed at 11 a.m. to all pupils who desire it.

Fruit pies according to season.

Puddings—Plum, Rolled jam, or treacle, Rice, Sago, Tapioca, Bread, Plain Suet with sugar or syrup, &c.

The above table may be subject to slight variations.

Approved, JOHN D. SCURVAN, M.D., Hon. Medical Officer.

RESIDENT PUPILS DURING THE YEAR

1902=03.

134 PUPILS: viz., 75 MALES AND 59 FEMALES.

MALE PUPILS.

<i>Name.</i>	<i>Age.</i>	<i>Residence.</i>	<i>Cause of Blindness</i>
Addicott, George F. ...	7	Small Heath, Birmingham	Ophthalmia at birth.
Ashmore, Robert W. ...	5	Tatenhill, Burton-on-Trent	Ophthalmia neonatorum.
Baldwin, Norris S. ...	13	Aston, ... Birmingham	Atrophy of Optic Nerves.
Banks, John J. ...	16	Birmingham ...	Accident and Sympathetic Ophthalmia.
Barefoot, Henry G. H. ...	9	Smethwick, ... Birmingham	Ulcerative Keratitis.
Barnett, John ...	14	Aston, ... Birmingham	Atrophy of Optic Nerves.
Bayliss, Ernest ...	14	Brinklow, Coventry	Atrophy of Optic Nerve?
Bennett, Thomas ...	17	Bloxwich ...	Congenital Cataract.
Blackwell, Charles ...	16	Enstone, Oxford	Atrophy of Optic Nerve.
Blagrove, Charles W. ...	12	Oxford ...	Ophthalmia at birth?
*Bourne, Bertie (G.S.) ...	18	Birmingham ...	Interstitial Keratitis, etc.
Buffery, William G. ...	12	Birmingham ...	Congenital Cataract?
Chandler, Richard ...	15	Oxford ...	Ulcerative Keratitis.
Clewer, Bertram H. ...	7	Birmingham ...	Atrophy of Optic Nerves.
Cope, Leonard ...	20	Birmingham ...	Congenital Glaucoma.
*Crow, Frank L. (G.S.) ...	18	Birmingham ...	Ophthalmia at birth.
Derricott, John ...	22	Chadsmoor, ... Cannock	Atrophy of Optic Nerve after influenza.
Dixon, Edwin J. ...	11	Birmingham ...	Atrophy of Optic Nerves.
Donoghue, Thomas ...	17	Birmingham ...	Buphthalmos.
Edwards, Philip H. ...	17	Handsworth, ... Birmingham	Congenital Glaucoma?

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<i>Name.</i>	<i>Age.</i>	<i>Residence.</i>	<i>Cause of Blindness.</i>
Evans, Henry ...	14	Bilston ...	Ophthalmia at birth.
Faulconbridge, Jack	10	Balsall Street, near Berkswell	Secondary ? Glaucoma.
Firth, Thomas William.	19	Birmingham ...	Congenital Glaucoma.
Fisher, Jesse R. ...	11	Birmingham ...	Accident, both eyes.
Gibbs, Alec. ...	13	Coventry ...	Ophthalmia at Birth.
Goode, Philip	17	Birmingham ...	Microphthalmos.
Goodwin, Walter	16	Aston, ... Birmingham	Ophthalmia at birth.
Gordon, George ...	18	Birmingham ...	Atrophy of Optic Nerves.
Griffiths, Henry ...	16	Quarry Bank ...	Retinitis Pigmentosa ?
Griffiths, Thomas	10	Quarry Bank...	Atrophy of Optic Nerves.
Haines, Albert E.	14	Wordsley, ... Stourbridge	Atrophy of Optic Nerve.
Harlan, John T. ...	11	Birmingham ...	Atrophy of Optic Nerves.
Hards, George S. ...	21	London, ...	Detachment of retina.
Harris, Alfred ...	19	Oxford	Congenital Cataract.
Hewins, Albert ...	16	Leamington	Accident and Sympathetic Ophthalmia.
Hinks, Arthur	12	Birmingham	Irido-cyclitis ?
Holmes, David	10	Erdington, ... Birmingham	Cataract, iritis, etc.
Howes, Ernest V.	15	Oxford	Ulcerative Keratitis.
Hubbard, Abel M.	18	Aldridge, ... Walsall	Congenital Cataract.
James, Henry	17	Aston, ... Birmingham	Ophthalmia at birth.
James, James F. ...	19	Walsall	Congenital Cataract.
Jeffries, Percy ...	12	Birmingham	Congenital Cataract, etc.
Jones, James ...	21	Bromsgrove	Interstitial Keratitis, etc.
Jones, John H. ...	15	Newtown	Ophthalmia at birth ?
Joselyn, Willfred H. A.	20	Ely ...	Congenital Amblyopia.
Joyce, Ernest F. ...	19	Leamington	Interstitial Keratitis, etc.
King, Bernard, G. ...	13	Birmingham	Ophthalmia at birth ?
*Lavender, Charles (G S.)	17	Stourbridge ...	Congenital Cataract.
Lee, Robert ...	16	Mitcham, ... Surrey	Ulcerative Keratitis.
Loveday, George F.	9	Birmingham ...	Ulcerative Keratitis after measles.
Mealin, Oliver ...	10	Birmingham ...	Congenital Cataract.

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<i>Name.</i>	<i>Age.</i>	<i>Residence.</i>	<i>Cause of Blindness.</i>
Millward, Joseph ...	15	Birmingham ...	Ulcerative Keratitis.
Pearson, Edwin T. ...	17	Birmingham ...	Ophthalmia at birth.
*Perrin, Frederick (G.S.) ...	18	Birmingham ...	Interstitial Keratitis, etc.
Phillips, William H. C. ...	7	Birmingham ...	Ulcerative Keratitis after smallpox.
Price, Charles G. H. ...	20	Brownhills ...	Accident and Sympathetic Ophthalmia.
*Priest, Fredk. William ... (G.S.)	20	Coventry ...	Ophthalmia at birth.
Randall, Gilbert G. ...	17	Long Compton, Shipston-on- Stour	Congenital Cataract.
Reynolds, Percival F. ...	24	Harbury, near Leamington	Retinitis Pigmentosa.
Roberts, William A. ...	9	Pershore ...	Ulcerative Keratitis.
Roden, William H. ...	16	Dudley ...	Ophthalmia at birth.
Rogers, James E. ...	17	Wednesbury ...	Ophthalmia at birth.
Selby, Harrison W. ...	12	Northampton	Atrophy of Optic Nerve?
Siviter, Thomas W. ...	18	Handsworth .. Birmingham	Atrophy of Optic Nerve?
Slater, James ...	8	Birmingham ..	Ophthalmia at birth.
Stokes, Frederick J. ...	10	Birmingham ...	Atrophy of Optic Nerves.
Summer, Harry A. ...	8	Birmingham ...	Ulcerative Keratitis.
*Taylor, Edward H. (G.S.) ...	19	Bloxwich ...	Choroiditis, etc.
Toulinson, William ...	11	Birmingham ..	Congenital Cataract.
Tunnicliffe, Philip ...	15	Birmingham ...	
Walls, Charles ...	6	Birmingham ..	Ulcerative Keratitis.
Wheeler, Frederick J. ...	15	Selly Oak, ... Birmingham	Ulcerative Keratitis.
Wheeler, Samuel ...	10	Wolverhampton	Atrophy of Optic Nerve.
Yates, Thomas R. ...	15	Brierley Hill...	Ulcerative Keratitis.
Young, William ...	23	Wollaston. ... Stourbridge	Ophthalmia at birth.

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FEMALE PUPILS.

<i>Name.</i>	<i>Age.</i>	<i>Residence.</i>	<i>Cause of Blindness.</i>
Baker, Fanny	23	Birmingham ...	Congenital Cataract.
Banks, Dorothy	11	Birmingham ...	Ophthalmia at birth.
Best, Amy	13	Birmingham ...	Ophthalmia at birth?
Blake, Beatrice E. L.	21	Great Yarmouth	Patchy choroiditis.
Briers, Mabel	15	Narborough ...	Atrophy of Optic Nerve.
Brooker, Florence E.	18	Wrestlingworth, Bedford	Atrophy of Optic Nerve.
Bryant, Phoebe	12	Tipton ...	Ophthalmia at birth?
Bunford, Daisy K.	16	Birmingham ...	Congenital Amblyopia?
Burley, Ada L.	15	Birmingham	Ophthalmia at birth.
Carter, Ethel M.	... 12	Oxford ...	Ophthalmia at birth.
Carter, Harriet E.	20	Birmingham ...	Interstitial Keratitis, etc.
Chatterley, Nellie	19	Redditch ...	Ophthalmia at birth.
Collis, Mary A.	20	Chasetown, ... Walsall	Optic Atrophy.
Cotton, Ellen	14	Nuneaton ...	Retinitis Pigmentosa.
Crook, Lucy	15	Redditch ...	Accident, and sympathetic inflammation.
Dent, Minnie	15	Birmingham ..	Congenital Cataract.
Dillon, Elsie M.	8	Worcester ...	Ophthalmia at birth.
Docker, Harriet	12	Smethwick, Birmingham	Chronic Conjunctivitis
*Duffin, Edith Louisa (U.S.)	22	Leicester ...	Atrophy of Optic Nerve.
East, Alice	... 13	Birmingham ...	Congenital dislocation of lens.
Edwards, Beatrice	.. 18	Birmingham ...	Ulcerative Keratitis.
Fox, Ethel M.	.. 9	Pleck, Walsall	Ophthalmia at birth.
Gell, Beatrice M...	.. 20	Birmingham ...	Accident, and Sympathetic Ophthalmia.
Green, Elizabeth M.	... 25	Chelsea, London	Ophthalmia at birth.
Griffiths, Ethel A. W.	... 14	Acock's Green	Congenital Cataract.
Gould, Sarah	... 11	Aston, ... Birmingham	Ulcerative Keratitis.
Harvey, Hannah	.. 13	Stafford ...	Hypermetropia, no other defect.
Hewins, Marjorie..	.. 10	Sutton Coldfield	Ophthalmia at birth.
Hickman, Alice	.. 15	Brierley Hill...	Ophthalmia at birth?
Hill, Sarah	.. 8	Quarry Bank...	Ulcerative Keratitis.

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<i>Name.</i>	<i>Age.</i>	<i>Residence.</i>	<i>Cause of Blindness.</i>
Humphries, Sarah E. ...	14	Rugby ...	Atrophy of Optic Nerves.
Jackson, Beatrice... ..	14	Northampton	Ophthalmia at birth.
Jones, Alice P.	16	Aston, Birmingham	Interstitial Keratitis.
Kent, Lilian	18	Birmingham ...	Congenital Cataract.
King, Gertrude L.	15	Redditch ...	Choroiditis.
Kirby, Lily	17	Birmingham ...	Interstitial Keratitis, etc.
Lilley, Rose	11	Birmingham ...	Ulcerative Keratitis.
Manning, Emma J.	13	Burton-on-Trent	Ulcerative Keratitis.
Marvin, Ellen E.... ..	11	Smethwick, ... Birmingham	Ulcerative Keratitis (Scarlatina)
Newman, Mary	11	Broughton Hackett, Worcester	Congenital Microphthalmos
Nicholson, Florence	14	Birmingham ...	Ophthalmia at birth.
Osman, Florence	15	Darlaston ...	Iridocyclitis.
Perry, Harriett	19	West Bromwich	Optic Neuritis.
*Randle, Elizabeth (G.S.)	17	Bedworth ...	Congenital Anophthalmos.
Sandland, Ada	11	Wednesbury ...	Buphthalmos.
Saunders, Susanna E.	13	Oldbury ...	Ophthalmia at birth.
Savage, Elizabeth	16	Worcester ...	Ophthalmia at birth.
Shaw, Sarah	16	Lye, ... Stourbridge	Ophthalmia at birth.
Sidwell, Esther E.	22	Stockingford, Nuneaton	Ophthalmia at birth.
Spencer, Alice E.	22	Lullington, Burton-on-Trent	Atrophy of Optic Nerves.
Spracklen, Violet E. K....	9	Leamington ...	Congenital Cataract.
Stanley, Annie	18	Birmingham ...	Ulcerative Keratitis.
Taylor, Agnes	13	Burton-on-Trent	Ulcerative Keratitis.
Walton, Gladys R. O.	18	Worcester ...	Choroido-iritis, etc.
Watson, Annie	12	Birmingham ...	Ophthalmia at birth.
Webber, Mand	17	Birmingham ...	Choroiditis.
West, Alice	14	Birmingham ...	Ophthalmia at birth.
Westwood, May	13	Smethwick, Birmingham	Fly bite and Sympathetic Ophthalmia.
Worsnop, Eveline	15	Smethwick, ... Birmingham	Choroiditis and Myopia.

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DAY PUPILS DURING THE YEAR 1902=3.

12 PUPILS: VIZ., 8 MALES AND 4 FEMALES.

MALES.

<i>Name.</i>	<i>Age.</i>	<i>Residence.</i>	<i>Cause of Blindness.</i>
Cary, Charles B. ...	22	Aston, ... Birmingham	Atrophy of Optic Nerves.
Green, Thomas ...	28	Birmingham ...	
Hull, Edgar ...	28	Mobberley, ... Cheshire	Gun accident, both eyes.
Northwood, Alexander J.	20	Handsworth, ... Birmingham	Purulent Conjunctivitis.
Pearson, Aubrey J. ...	22	Cradley Heath	Interstitial Keratitis.
Salt, John Y. ...	33	Handsworth, Birmingham	Retinitis Pigmentosa.
Stuart, Charles W. ...	27	Soho, Birmingham	High Myopia and Cataract.
Wright, George W.	25	Aston, Birmingham	Choroiditis, and Atrophy of Optic Nerve.

FEMALES.

Brett, Annie ...	33	Birmingham ...	Ophthalmia at birth.
Lacey, Alice M. ...	7	Birmingham ...	High Myopia.
Millett, Winifred ...	15	Birmingham ...	Atrophy of Optic Nerves.
Ward, Lonisa ...	20	Birmingham ...	

PUPILS ADMITTED INTO THE INSTITUTION

DURING THE YEAR.

MALES.

<i>Name.</i>	<i>Age.</i>	<i>Residence.</i>	<i>Cause of Blindness.</i>
Ashmore, Robert W. ...	5	Tatenhill, ... Barton-on-Trent	Ophthalmia neonatorum.
Cary, Charles B. ... (<i>Day Pupil</i>)	22	Aston, ... Birmingham	Atrophy of Optic Nerves.
Clewer, Bertram H. ...	7	Birmingham	Atrophy of Optic Nerves.
Dixon, Edwin J. ...	11	Birmingham ...	Atrophy of Optic Nerves.
Fanlonbridge, Jack ...	10	Balsall Street, near Berkswell	Secondary ? Glaucoma.
Hull Edgar (<i>Day Pupil</i>)	28	Mobberley, ... Cheshire	Gun accident, both eyes.
Loveday, George F. ...	9	Birmingham ...	Ulcerative Keratitis after measles.
Mealin, Oliver ...	10	Birmingham ...	Congenital Cataract.

<i>Name.</i>	<i>Age.</i>	<i>Residence.</i>	<i>Cause of Blindness.</i>
Northwood, Alexander J. (<i>Day Pupil</i>)	20	Handsworth, ... Birmingham	Purulent Conjunctivitis.
Phillips, William H. C.	7	Birmingham ...	Ulcerative Keratitis after smallpox.
Reynolds, Percival F. ...	24	Harbury, near... Leamington	Retinitis Pigmentosa.
Salt, John Y. ... (<i>Day Pupil</i>)	33	Handsworth, ... Birmingham	Retinitis Pigmentosa.
Walls, Charles ...	6	Birmingham ...	Ulcerative Keratitis.
Pearson, Aubrey, J. ... (<i>Day Pupil</i>)	22	Cradley Heath	Interstitial Keratitis.

FEMALES.

Blake, Beatrice E. L. ...	21	Great Yarmouth	Patchy choroiditis.
Crook, Lucy ...	15	Redditch ...	Accident, and sympathetic inflammation.
Griffiths, Ethel A. W. ...	14	Acock's Green...	Congenital Cataract.
Harvey, Hannah ...	13	Stafford... ..	Hypermetropia, no other defect.
Humphries, Sarah E. ...	14	Rugby	Atrophy of Optic Nerve.
Lacey, Alice M. ... (<i>Day Pupil</i>)	7	Birmingham ...	High Myopia.
Perry, Harriet ...	19	West Bromwich	Optic Neuritis.
Spracklen, Violet E. K.	9	Leamington ...	Congenital Cataract.
Worsnop, Eveline ...	15	Smethwick, ... Birmingham	Choroiditis and Myopia.

PUPILS WHO HAVE LEFT THE INSTITUTION

DURING THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1903.

*COPE, LEONARD—Learned pianoforte tuning. Has commenced business on his own account.

DONOUGHUE, THOMAS—Left of his own accord, and could not be traced.

EDWARDS, PHILIP H.—Withdrawn by friends, his training being only partially completed.

*FIRTH, THOMAS W.—Learned shorthand and typewriting which he followed for a time, and partially learned pianoforte tuning. Now appointed Collector to the Institution.

GREEN, THOMAS (*Day Pupil*)—Entered to learn basket making—attendance so unsatisfactory that his name was removed from the books.

*JONES, JAMES—Learned basket making. Has started business on his own account.

JOSELYN, WILLFRED H. A.—Could not be retained, suffering from phthisis.

MILLWARD, JOSEPH—Died at the Institution, 20th October, 1902.

*RANDALL, GILBERT G.—Learned chair seating. Has started for himself in this trade and a Tea Agency.

*ROGERS, JAMES E.—An efficient basket maker—Employed at the Institution for six months as journeyman.

TUNNICLIFFE, PHILIP—Withdrawn by friends, his sight having improved.

*BAKER, FANNY—Learned basket making. Now employed in the Institution Workshops as day worker.

BRIERS, MABEL—Temporarily withdrawn owing to lameness.

CROOK, LUCY—Temporarily withdrawn owing to illness.

DUFFIN, EDITH L. (*Gardner Scholar*)—Learned chair seating and basket making. Now employed at Leicester Institution for the Blind.

*SIDWELL, ESTHER E.—Learned basket making—an efficient worker. Now practises on her own account at home, and has also a Tea Agency.

*SPENCER, ALICE E.—Learned basket making very efficiently. Practises this trade at home, and has also a Tea Agency.

*STANLEY, ANNIE—Learned music, and shorthand and typewriting. Now employed as Teacher of shorthand and typewriting at Exeter Institution for the Blind.

WALTON, GLADYS R. O.—Trained for domestic service. Was employed at the Institution for a time, when she left of her own accord.

* Assisted from "The Richard Middlemore Trust Fund."

DONATIONS OF TEN POUNDS

AND UPWARDS.

1847—8.				£	s.	d.	
Friends, for Building	...	25	0	0			
Donations under £10	...	123	3	0			
1848—9.							
Allcroft, J. W.	...	10	10	0	Mason, Josiah	... 10 10 0	
Badger, Thomas	...	10	10	0	Peel, The late Right Hon.	...	
Bagot, Rev. Egerton A.	...	10	10	0	Sir Robert, Bart.	... 10 10 0	
Bagnall, John, and Sons	...	10	10	0	Piercy, John Edward	... 21 0 0	
Barrows and Hall	...	10	10	0	Porter, Miss Phoebe	... 10 10 0	
Bennett, Joseph	...	10	10	0	Pyndar, Mrs.	... 10 10 0	
Botfield, William	...	10	10	0	Robins, William	... 10 10 0	
Botfield, B.	...	10	10	0	Room, William and Francis	... 10 10 0	
Chance, William	...	10	10	0	Sharp, William	... 10 10 0	
Chetwynd, Sir George, Bart.	...	10	10	0	Shaw, Charles	... 10 10 0	
Cope, Miss Harriet	...	10	10	0	Smith, Thomas	... 10 10 0	
Dawes, W. H.	...	10	10	0	Stock, Joseph	... 10 10 0	
Dent, J. and W.	...	10	10	0	Tolley, John	... 10 10 0	
Ellis, Rev. John	...	10	10	0	Unett, John	... 10 10 0	
Foster, William	...	10	10	0	Walker, Messrs. T. and E.	... 10 10 0	
Foster, James	...	10	10	0	Williams, Brothers	... 31 10 0	
Friend to the Institution	...	50	0	0	Winfield, Robert Walter	... 21 0 0	
Friend, by James Russell	...	10	0	0	Wright, John	... 10 10 0	
Gammon, Mrs.	...	10	10	0	Wolverston, S. P.	... 10 10 0	
Gibson, Mrs.	...	10	10	0	Donations under £10	... 610 12 8	
Gough, The Hon. Frederick	...	10	10	0	Moiety of Collection at St.	...	
Greatrex, Joseph	...	10	10	0	Martin's Church, after a	...	
Guest, Joseph	...	21	0	0	Sermon by Rev. J. C.	...	
Harrold, Miss, for the organ	...	10	10	0	Miller	... 28 11 5	
Hancocks, William	...	10	10	0	1849—50.		
Heeley, Edmund	...	10	10	0	Addison, S. (the late)	... 100 0 0	
Hodgson, Joseph	...	10	10	0	Badger, J. and T.	... 10 10 0	
Hoddinott, William	...	10	10	0	Calthorpe, Right Hon. Lord	... 100 0 0	
Howe, The Right Hon. Earl	...	21	0	0	Clark, Sir C. M., Bart.	... 10 10 0	
Ingleby, Clement	...	10	10	0	Chance, W., jun.	... 10 10 0	
Jennens, Joseph	...	25	0	0	Cohen, J. C.	... 10 10 0	
Kempson, Samuel	...	10	10	0	Collection after the Annual	...	
Kentish, Mrs.	...	10	10	0	Meeting	... 13 7 0	
L.	...	105	0	0	Curtis, Mrs.	... 200 0 0	
Lakin, Rev. John Marsh	...	10	10	0	Dartmouth, Right Hon.	...	
Lawley, Sir Francis, Bart.	...	10	0	0	Earl of	... 10 10 0	
Lawley, Lady	...	10	0	0	Dartmouth, Countess of	... 10 10 0	
Lea, T. Simcox	...	10	10	0	Gedge, Rev. Sydney	... 10 10 0	
Leigh, Right Hon. Lord	...	10	0	0	L.	... 105 0 0	
Levitt, Captain Theophilus	...	10	10	0	Lewis, Thomas	... 10 10 0	
					Noel, The Hon. Mrs. B.	... 10 10 0	
					Phillips, Thomas	... 10 10 0	
					Rawlins, John	... 10 10 0	
					Scott, Robert	... 10 10 0	

DONATIONS OF TEN POUNDS AND UPWARDS.

			1852—53.					
			£	s.	d.			
Smith, Robert	...	...	10	0	0	A Friend, for the Organ	...	10 0 0
Spencer, Right Hon. Earl	...	...	20	0	0	Birmingham Gas Company	...	10 0 0
Taylor, James	...	...	20	0	0	Branson and Gwyther	...	21 0 0
Donations under £10	...	...	235	1	6	Brogden, Alexander	...	10 10 0
1850—51.						Calthorpe, Right Hon. Lord		
De Broke, Right Hon.						(2nd donation)	...	100 0 0
Lord Willoughby	...	...	70	0	0	Chance, W. (2nd donation)	...	10 10 0
Bourne, J. S.	...	...	10	10	0	Dartmouth, Right Hon.		
Childe, S.	...	...	10	10	0	Earl of (2nd donation)	...	42 0 0
Collection at Annual Meeting	...	...	12	18	2	Ellis, Rev. John	...	10 0 0
Dixon, Abraham	...	...	20	0	0	Goodman, Thomas	...	10 10 0
Durant, The Misses	...	...	10	0	0	Harwood, James	...	10 10 0
Elwell, Edward	...	...	10	10	0	Howe, Right Hon. Earl		
Evans, Dr.	...	...	10	10	0	(2nd donation)	...	25 0 0
Friend, A.	...	...	10	0	0	Jones, David	...	10 10 0
Gem, Edward	...	...	10	10	0	Lloyd, Thomas	...	10 10 0
Hancocks, William	...	...	10	0	0	Muntz, G. F., M.P.	...	10 0 0
Hunt, James	...	...	10	10	0	Padmore, Richard	...	10 10 0
Lloyd, Sampson S.	...	...	10	0	0	Pickering, Joseph	...	10 10 0
Morgan, J. B.	...	...	10	10	0	Pritchard, George (3rd don.)	...	10 0 0
Nenstaut and Barnett	...	...	10	10	0	Pritchard, John, M.P. do.	...	10 10 0
Parker, The Rev. W.	...	...	10	10	0	Ryland, Mrs. Barford for		
Pritchard, George	...	...	10	10	0	the Organ	...	10 0 0
Pritchard, John, M.P.	...	...	10	0	0	Smallwood, J. and J.	...	10 0 0
Riland, Rev. J.	...	...	10	0	0	Smith, Thomas (2nd don.)	...	20 0 0
Rogers and Sons	...	...	21	0	0	Stubbs, George	...	10 0 0
Whitfield, Thomas	...	...	10	0	0	Tradesman's Hall	...	10 0 0
Williams, Henry	...	...	10	0	0	Unett, John	...	10 10 0
Donations under £10	...	...	396	2	2	Welch, Thomas	...	10 10 0
1851—52.						Winfield, R. W. (2nd don.)	...	10 10 0
Anderton, Miss R.	...	...	10	10	0	Wright, Joseph	...	10 0 0
Anderton, Miss A.	...	...	10	10	0	Donations under £10	...	640 2 6
Chance, James T.	...	...	10	10	0	Collection at the opening of		
Dartmouth, Right Hon.						the Institution	...	23 2 6
Earl of	...	...	20	0	0	Collection after Sermon at		
Foster, James	...	...	10	10	0	St. James' Church, by		
Gibson, George	...	...	10	10	0	Hon. and Rev. G. M.		
Homer, John	...	...	20	0	0	Yorke	...	13 8 6
Lady A., per Edward Bower	...	...	10	0	0	1853—54.		
Mabson, William	...	...	25	0	0	Birmingham and Stafford-		
Mabson, Miss	...	...	25	0	0	shire Gas Company	...	20 0 0
Moilliett and Sons	...	...	10	0	0	Bissell, Job	...	10 10 0
Pritchard, George (2nd don.)	...	...	10	0	0	Cocks, Hon. and Rev. Canon	...	10 10 0
Pritchard, John, M.P. (do.)	...	...	10	0	0	Craven, Right Hon. Earl of	...	10 0 0
Purser, Joseph	...	...	10	10	0	Dickenson, Henry	...	10 10 0
Ratcliff, John	...	...	25	0	0	English, Mrs.	...	10 10 0
Ratcliff, Charles	...	...	21	0	0	F. P. H.	...	500 0 0
Spencer, William	...	...	10	10	0	Foley, J. Hodgetts H., M.P.	...	10 10 0
Wenlock, Right Hon. Lord	...	...	10	0	0	Gillott, Joseph	...	10 0 0
White, Thomas	...	...	10	10	0	Green, John	...	10 10 0
Williams, William	...	...	10	0	0	Hemming, Samuel	...	10 10 0
Donations under £10	...	...	449	0	0	Middlemore, William	...	10 10 0
						Newbold, G. B.	...	10 0 0

DONATIONS OF TEN POUNDS AND UPWARDS.

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Parry, William ...	20	0	0				
Donations under £10 ...	195	5	6				
1854—55.				1857—58.			
Anderson, J. H., per Jas.				Cambridge, H. R. H. Duke of,			
Baldwin ...	10	10	0	through Sir John Ratcliff,			
Bennett, Joseph ...	10	10	0	Mayor ...	10	0	0
Birmingham Town and				Carpenter, Miss ...	10	10	0
District Banking Co. ...	20	0	0	Coutts, Miss A. B. ...	10	0	0
Foster, William ...	10	10	0	Foster, Miss ...	10	0	0
Hill, Thomas R. ...	10	10	0	Goodman, Thomas ...	10	0	0
Jephson, Henry, M.D. ...	105	0	0	Goodman, John Dent ...	10	0	0
Leigh, Right Hon. Lord ...	20	0	0	Goodwin, George ...	10	0	0
Phillips, Nathaniel ...	10	10	0	Hanbury, Sampson ...	25	0	0
Pritchard, George (4th don.)	10	0	0	Keep, Joseph ...	10	10	0
Pritchard, John, M.P. do.	10	10	0	Kynnersley, Miss ...	25	0	0
Wenlock, Right Hon. Lord	20	0	0	Lichfield, Very Rev. Dean of	10	10	0
Donations under £10 ...	139	18	10	Mabson, William ...	10	0	0
1855—56.				Parry, Richard ...	10	0	0
Barnett, Edward ...	10	10	0	Princess of Oude, by The			
Calthorpe, Right Hon. Lord	50	0	0	Mayor, Sir John Ratcliff	10	0	0
Calthorpe, Hon. F. H. W. G.	10	10	0	Ratcliff, Sir John, & Charles	10	0	0
Dartmouth, Rt. Hon. Earl of	10	0	0	Sharp, William (2nd don.)	10	0	0
Chanee, William ...	10	0	0	Stock, Joseph ...	10	0	0
Chetwynd, Sir George, Bart.	10	0	0	Westley, William ...	10	10	0
Frost, James ...	10	0	0	Donations under £10 ...	256	9	4
Lloyd, Thomas ...	10	10	0	1858—59.			
Moilliet and Sons ...	10	0	0	Aylesford, Rt. Hon. Earl of	10	0	0
Monckton, George ...	10	0	0	Barnett, Edward ...	10	10	0
Monckton, Miss ...	10	0	0	Butley, Theobald (the late),			
Parry, Richard ...	10	0	0	through James Butler ...	50	0	0
Ratcliff, John ...	10	0	0	Calthorpe, Right Hon. Lord	50	0	0
Ratcliff, Charles ...	10	0	0	Clutterbuck, Mrs. ...	12	10	0
Sharp, William ...	10	0	0	Dowler, Miss ...	10	10	0
Smith, Thomas ...	10	0	0	Evans, William ...	10	10	0
Williams, Philip ...	10	0	0	Friend, per Mr. A. Ryland	50	0	0
Donations under £10 ...	257	18	6	Howe, Right Hon. Earl ...	10	0	0
1856—57.				Hardy, Peter ...	10	0	0
Bagot, Rev. Egerton ...	15	0	0	Hashick, Mrs. ...	50	0	0
Baker, William ...	10	0	0	Kynnersley, Miss ...	10	0	0
Branson and Gwyther ...	20	0	0	Limb, R. K. ...	10	0	0
Dawes, W. H. ...	10	10	0	Middlemore, William ...	10	0	0
Dixon, Abraham ...	10	0	0	Moilliet and Sons ...	10	0	0
Frost, Matthew ...	10	10	0	Padmore, Richard ...	10	10	0
Hinckes, Miss ...	10	0	0	Powis, Right Hon. Earl ...	10	10	0
Holyoake, James ...	10	0	0	Rogers, Henry, Sons, & Co.			
Kempson, Rev. H. ...	10	10	0	(3rd donation) ...	10	10	0
Lloyd, James ...	10	0	0	Smith, Miss ...	10	0	0
Lumb, R. K. ...	10	0	0	Williams, Henry ...	10	10	0
Pritchard, George (5th don.)	10	0	0	Donations under £10 ...	394	1	11
Rogers and Sons (2nd don.)	10	0	0	1859—60.			
Donations under £10 ...	269	9	6	Bradford, Right Hon. Earl of	10	0	0
				Barwell, John ...	10	10	0
				Birmingham Gas Company	10	0	0
				Lloyd, G. Braithwaite ...	10	0	0

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	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Pritchard, George, (6th don.)	10	0	0	Cochrane, John	10	10	0
Pritchard, J., M.P. (5th ,,)	10	0	0	Evans, James	10	10	0
Ratcliff, Sir John, Mayor ..	25	0	0	Osborn, Mrs. (2nd don.)	50	0	0
Taylor, Miss	10	10	0	Pratt, Mrs.	10	10	0
Williams, Philip	10	0	0	Sale, Mrs.	10	10	0
Donations under £10	199	16	0	Swindell, Charles E.	10	10	0
1860—61.				Terrett, Miss	12	12	0
Banks, Thomas	10	10	0	Williams, Walter	52	10	0
Branson and Gwyther	20	0	0	Donations under £10	61	3	9
Capell, Jas.	10	10	0	1865—66.			
Clutterbuck, Mrs. (2nd don.)	10	10	0	Gnest, Joseph	300	0	0
Dalton, Rev. W.	10	10	0	Osborn, Mrs. (3rd don.)	50	0	0
Dudley, William	10	10	0	Pratt, Mrs. (2nd don.)	20	0	0
Evans, T. W., M.P.	10	10	0	Thornton, James	10	10	0
Fletcher, Dr. Bell	10	10	0	Donations under £10	28	9	7
Lloyd, Thomas, Mayor	10	0	0	1866—67.			
Martin, William	15	0	0	Cotton District Relief Fund	10	14	0
Vergette, William	10	10	0	Digby, G. D. W.	10	0	0
Donations under £10	82	8	8	G. H. S.	50	0	0
1861—62.				Hinckes, Mrs.	15	0	0
Birm. Local Charities Fund	332	9	10	Hodgson, Miss Caroline	10	0	0
Clutterbuck, Mrs. (3rd don.)	10	0	0	Hodgson, Miss Ellen	10	10	0
Harrison, William	10	10	0	Piggott, Thomas	50	0	0
Redfern, William	25	0	0	Ward, Henry	10	0	0
Redfern, Thomas	25	0	0	White, Thomas	50	0	0
Donations under £10	27	18	7	Williams, Mrs. W.	20	0	0
1862—63.				Working Men's Industrial Exhibition	50	0	0
Clutterbuck, Mrs. (4th don.)	10	0	0	Donations under £10	29	0	6
Lyndon, G. F.	10	10	0	1867—68.			
Macmaster, Miss (the late), per Mrs. Hasluek	50	0	0	Baldwin, Alfred	10	10	0
Ryland, Mrs. (the late)	200	0	0	Hinckes, Mrs. (2nd don.)	10	0	0
Salt, Thomas	10	10	0	Hodgson, Miss Ellen, (as Executrix of Mrs. Morgan)	500	0	0
Thank-offering	50	0	0	Local Charities Fund	182	2	5
Donations under £10	22	15	10	Pratt, Mrs. (3rd donation)	10	10	0
1863—64.				Scott, Mrs.	10	10	0
C. and M. B. C.	10	0	0	Donations under £10	29	11	3
Caddick, Edward	10	10	0	1868—69.			
Hawkes, Timothy	10	0	0	Avery, Thomas	10	10	0
Leigh, Right Hon. Lord	21	0	0	Deykin, James	25	0	0
Osborn, Mrs.	50	0	0	Executors of late R. Trist	10	10	0
Unfreville, Mrs.	10	10	0	Hinckes, Mrs. (3rd don.)	10	10	0
Worcester, Right Rev. The Lord Bishop of	10	10	0	Lawley, Lady (2nd don.)	10	10	0
Donations under £10	19	16	9	Rogers, Sons, and Co. (4th donation)	10	10	0
1864—65.				Donations under £10	15	7	11
Birmingham Amalgamated Charities	197	16	7	1869—70.			
Chance, R. L.	50	0	0	Bolton, F. S.	25	0	0
				Chance, John Henry	10	10	0

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	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Ingram, H. Meynell ...	10	10	0	Davis, William (2nd don.) ...	20	0	0
Mynors, Rev. Thomas ...	21	0	0	Cooksey, H. R. ...	100	0	0
Westley, William (2nd don.) ...	10	10	0	X Y Z, per Rev. G. Lea ...	50	0	0
Donations under £10 ...	31	7	5	Donations under £10 ...	20	4	6
1870—71.				1876—77.			
Burman, T. ...	10	0	0	Davis, William (3rd don.) ...	20	0	0
Wise, Mrs. ...	10	10	0	Local Charities' Collection			
Chance, Henry ...	15	0	0	Fund ...	320	3	2
Mynors, R. ...	10	10	0	Swindell, Charles E. ...	20	0	0
Local Charities Fund ...	156	11	6	Donations under £10 ...	13	19	5
Hunt, C., "In Memoriam" ...	50	0	0	1877—78.			
Miller, Mrs. ...	10	10	0	Brinsley, William ...	10	10	0
Donations under £10 ...	8	15	1	Harris, Samuel ...	10	10	0
1871—72.				Westley, William (3rd don.) ...	10	10	0
Atkins, James ...	21	0	0	Donations under £10 ...	13	16	11
Gibbons, Joseph ...	50	0	0	1878—79.			
Lea, Mrs. G. ...	50	0	0	Avery, Thomas ...	10	10	0
Mason, J., "In Memoriam" ...	100	0	0	Davis, William (4th don.) ...	20	0	0
Nelson, Frederick ...	10	0	0	Feeney, John ...	10	10	0
Rogers, H., Sons, and Co.,				Harris, William ...	10	10	0
(5th donation) ...	10	10	0	J. B. W. ...	25	0	0
Royds, Miss ...	10	10	0	Swindell, C. E. ...	20	0	0
Donations under £10 ...	13	11	0	Donations under £10 ...	29	2	6
1872—73.				1879—80.			
Avery, Thomas ...	10	10	0	Davis, William (5th don.) ...	20	0	0
Chance, Mrs. ...	10	10	0	Local Charities' Collection			
Evans, Dr. G. F. ...	10	0	0	Fund ...	371	13	4
Evans, Mrs. William ...	10	10	0	Player, J. H. ...	10	0	0
Evans, William ...	10	10	0	Swindell, Charles E. ...	23	0	0
H. H. ...	10	10	0	Wiggin, Henry ...	10	0	0
Lea, Mrs. George ...	17	5	2	Donations under £10 ...	6	18	9
Lea, Miss Mary ...	10	10	0	1880—81.			
Negligence ...	33	6	8	Burman, Thomas ...	10	0	0
Donations under £10 ...	21	11	10	Trustees of the William			
1873—74.				Dudley Trnst ...	300	0	0
Deykin, James (the late) ...	25	0	0	Swindell, Charles E. ...	20	0	0
Local Charities Fund ...	338	8	0	Burman, Thomas ...	500	0	0
Rogers, William ...	10	10	0	Donations under £10 ...	5	0	6
Stockton, John ...	10	10	0	1881—82.			
Donations under £10 ...	26	19	2	Cregoe-Colmore, W. B. ...	100	0	0
1874—75.				Swindell, C. E. ...	20	0	0
Davis, William ...	20	0	0	West, J. F. ...	10	10	0
Gittings, James H. ...	10	10	0	Donations under £10 ...	7	8	8
Hasluck, D. S. ...	20	0	0	1882—83.			
Donations under £10 ...	31	2	10	Gardner's Trnst for the			
1875—76.				Blind ...	100	0	0
Bateman, Rev. B. Jones ...	10	10	0	Local Charities Collections	300	16	5
Burman, Thomas ...	10	0	0	Swindell, C. E. ...	20	0	0
Chance, J. H. ...	25	0	0	Donations under £10 ...	14	12	8

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1883—84.

	£	s.	d.
Barrs, Mrs. (for the Endowment Fund) ...	1,000	0	0
Gardner's Trust for the Blind ...	150	0	0
Donations under £10 ...	15	0	3

1884—85.

Gardner's Trust for the Blind ...	150	0	0
Swindell, C. E. ...	20	0	0
Donations under £10 ...	11	8	0

1885—86.

Gardner's Trust for the Blind ...	150	0	0
Local Charities Collections ...	282	14	9
Swindell, Charles E. ...	20	0	0
Donations under £10 ...	6	4	10

1886—87.

Anonymous ...	50	0	0
Gardner's Trust for the Blind ...	150	0	0
Swindell, Charles E. ...	20	0	0
Donations under £10 ...	14	15	3

1887—88.

	£	s.	d.
Cooper, Charles ...	21	0	0
Gardner's Trust for the Blind ...	150	0	0
Donations under £10 ...	16	4	4

1888—89.

Gardner's Trust for the Blind ...	100	0	0
Lloyd, W. H. ...	10	10	0
Local Charities Collections ...	255	8	6
Donations under £10 ...	23	4	5

1889—90.

Adcock, Mrs. ...	50	0	0
Committee of the Birmingham Charity Sports ...	50	0	0
Gardner's Trust for the Blind ...	100	0	0
Woodward, Frederick ...	10	10	0
Donations under £10 ...	12	19	4

1890—91.

Gardner's Trust for the Blind ...	100	0	0
Donations under £10 ...	14	18	6

FROM LADY-DAY, 1891, TO LADY-DAY, 1892.

Gardner's Trust for the Blind ...	100	0	0
Lloyd, W. H., Hatch Court, near Taunton ...	10	10	0
Local Charities Collections ...	274	7	5
Moon, Miss, Copsewood Grange, Coventry ...	10	10	0
Petit, J. L., Handsworth Wood ...	10	10	0
Wray, George, The Greenways, Leamington ...	12	2	0
Donations under £10 ...	21	5	6

FROM LADY-DAY, 1892, TO LADY-DAY, 1893.

Gardner's Trust for the Blind ...	100	0	0
Lane, C. Pelham, as Trustee of J. F. Swinburne ...	50	0	0
Donations under £10 ...	19	15	7

FROM LADY-DAY, 1893, TO LADY-DAY, 1894.

Gardner's Trust for the Blind ...	100	0	0
Barnsley and Sons, Ryland Street ...	10	10	0
Birmingham Charity Sports ...	10	0	0
Walker, Andrew, Trustees of ...	15	5	0
Wiggin, Sir Henry, Bart., Harborne ...	60	4	10
Donations under £10 ...			

DONATIONS OF TEN POUNDS AND UPWARDS.
FROM 25th MARCH, 1894, TO 31st MARCH, 1895.

	£	s.	d.
A Friend	15	0	0
Bailey, Samuel, Calthorpe Road, Edgbaston...	10	0	0
Benn, George Charles, Rugby, "In Memoriam Anthony S. Benn"	300	0	0
Benn, George Charles, Rugby	10	10	0
Bolns, Alfred J., Park Road, Moseley	10	10	0
Gardner's Trust for the Blind, London	350	0	0
Gibbins, W. B., Easington, Stratford-on-Avon	25	0	0
Kenrick, G. H., Whetstone, Somerset Road	10	0	0
Local Charities Collections...	271	3	9
Petit, J. L., Handsworth Wood Road	10	10	0
Donations under £10	33	1	9

FROM 31st MARCH, 1895, TO 31st MARCH, 1896.

Cadbury, Richard, Moor Green, Birmingham	50	0	0
Evans, Mrs. G. F., 20, Hagley Road	10	0	0
Handley, Edwin, Church Road (per Hospital Sunday Collection)	10	10	0
Mitchell, F. W. V., 25, Augustus Road	21	0	0
Wray, George, The Greenways, Leamington...	10	10	0
Donations under £10	34	0	4

FROM 31st MARCH, 1896, TO 31st MARCH, 1897.

Gardner's Trust for the Blind, London	100	0	0
Gibbins, W. B., Easington, Stratford-on-Avon	20	0	0
Holinsworth, A. B., Lime Grove Lodge, Edgbaston	25	0	0
Holinsworth, C. B., Lime Grove Lodge, Edgbaston	25	0	0
Lea, Mrs. George, Vicarage Road, Edgbaston	100	0	0
Stokes, The Misses, 10, Sir Harry's Road, Edgbaston...	10	10	0
Donations under £10	121	11	11

FROM 31st MARCH, 1897, TO 31st MARCH, 1898.

Peel, The Right Hon. The Viscount	10	10	0
Amalgamated Charities' Collections (share of)	393	11	0
Anonymous, St. Barnabas', Ryland Street (per Hospital Sunday Collection)	10	0	0
Calthorpe, Lieut.-Gen., The Hon. Somerset J. Gough, Perry Hall	10	0	0
Charity Sports, Birmingham	10	0	0
Daily Mail Christmas Tree Fund	10	0	0
Elorall, J. F., The Parade, Birmingham	21	0	0

DONATIONS OF TEN POUNDS AND UPWARDS.

	£	s.	d.
Grillith, Henry, Handsworth (per Hospital Sunday Collection)	10	10	0
Petit, Mrs. J. L., Handsworth (do. do.)	10	10	0
Rushton, W. T., Boldmere (do. do.)	10	10	0
Willecox, Thomas, Claremont, Leamington	10	10	0
"William Dudley Trust" Birmingham	100	0	0
W. O. U.	50	0	0
Wray, George, The Greenways, Leamington	10	0	0
Donations under £10	96	7	9

FROM 31st MARCH, 1898, TO 31st MARCH, 1899.

Billing, Mrs. L. E., Trafalgar Road, Moseley	10	10	0
Daily Mail Christmas Tree Fund	12	0	0
Unite, Mrs., Blackwell Court, Bromsgrove	100	0	0
Donations under £10	49	6	0

FROM 31st MARCH, 1899, TO 31st MARCH, 1900.

A Friend	10	10	0
Anonyms Donor—Sale of Ground Rent	166	19	11
Barrow, Mrs. George, Cartmel, Torquay	50	0	0
Cunningham, Granville C., Edgbaston	10	10	0
Daily Mail Christmas Tree Fund	10	0	0
Edwards, George, Hagley Road (for Special Purpose) ...	10	0	0
Gardner's Trust for the Blind, London (for Special Purpose) ...	72	0	0
Donations under £10	55	3	5

FROM 31st MARCH, 1900, TO 31st MARCH, 1901.

Amalgamated Charities Collections (share of)	393	11	5
Anonyms, St. Barnabas', Ryland Street (per Hospital Sunday Collection)	10	0	0
Ansell, Edward, Chesterfield, Erdington (do. do.)	10	10	0
Ash, Joseph, Rea Street South, Birmingham (do. do.)	10	0	0
Barrows, Joseph, Harborne Road, Edgbaston (do. do.)	10	10	0
Bolus, Alfred J., Highfield, Moseley (do. do.)	21	0	0
Bradbury, J. G., Glenthorn, Edgbaston (do. do.)	10	10	0
Daily Mail Christmas Tree Fund	10	0	0

DONATIONS OF TEN POUNDS AND UPWARDS.

	£	s.	d.
Fisher, Walter N., Lawnfield, Edgbaston (per Hospital Sunday Collection)	10	10	0
Heaton, Mrs., The Hawthorns, Solihull (do. do.)	10	10	0
Hickman, Mrs., Birchfield	26	5	0
Johnstone, G. H., Hamstead Hill, Handsworth (per Hospital Sunday Collection)	10	10	0
Pountney, Miss G., Park Hill, Handsworth (do. do.)	10	10	0
Rushton, William T., Barnt Green (do. do.)	10	10	0
Wilkinson, Howard, Hamstead Lodge, Handsworth (do.)	10	10	0
Donations under £10	86	15	1

FROM 31st MARCH, 1901, TO 31st MARCH, 1902.

Daily Mail Christmas Tree Fund	10	0	0
Heath, Mrs., Bednall, near Stafford	20	0	0
Hickman, Mrs., Birchfield	10	0	0
Whitaker, James, Hampton Hall, Worthen, near Shrewsbury...	50	0	0
Donations under £10	55	2	7

DONATIONS.

FROM 31st MARCH, 1902, TO 31st MARCH 1903.

	£	s.	d.
Calthorpe, The Hon. Mrs. S. J. Gough, Perry Hall (for Christmas Festivities)	1	0	0
Alabaster, Arthur, Salisbury Road, Moseley	1	1	0
Anonymous, "A little girl from Paris"	0	2	6
A Friend, Dudley	0	2	6
A Well-wisher	0	2	6
Baragwanath, Mrs. J., Alcester Road, Moseley	0	10	0
Barnard, Mrs. D., Harborne Road (2nd Donation)	2	2	0
Barnsley, Mrs., Clarendon Road (in addition to Subscription of Ten shillings)	0	10	0
Best, G. A. H. Haden, Old Hill (5th Donation to Christmas Festivities)... ..	1	1	0
Blick, Mrs., Woodstock Road, Moseley	0	2	6
Bowmar, Miss E., Mansfield	0	10	0
Boxes at Sports and Pastimes Exhibition in Bingley Hall	7	4	10
*Chance, Mrs. J. Homer, City Road	5	0	0
"Charity Sports," Birmingham, per J. W. Smith, Hon. Sec.	5	5	0
Charity Boxes at Institution	2	17	2
Checkland, W. H., Salisbury Road, Moseley	1	1	0
Churchwardens of St. Peter's Church, Birmingham, per W. W. Winspear	2	2	0
Coates, Rev. R. H., Radnor Road, Handsworth	0	2	6
Cooke, Mrs. W. H., Aldridge	1	0	0
Daily Mail, Birmingham, Christmas Tree Fund	15	0	0
Dunmock, Mrs., Chantry Road, Moseley	0	2	6
Exhibition in Bingley Hall (Sports and Pastimes Exhibition Co., Ltd., per C. Wheelwright, Managing Director)—Proceeds of Benefit	12	6	0
Do. do. Donation from Prize Distribution Fund	50	0	0
Goer, Colonel C. F., Burton-on-Trent	1	1	0
Greenhow, J. S., Stanmore Road	1	1	0
Grigg, Henry, Trafalgar Road, Moseley	0	10	6
Hagley Road Bowling Club "Charity Fund," per G. F. Jones (5th Donation)	1	1	0
Harper, T. H., The Birches, Redditch (2nd Donation)	1	1	0
Hemmington, James, Moor Street	1	0	0
Hilton, W. H., Soho Hill, Handsworth	1	1	0
Holmes, H. D., Perth, Western Australia	1	0	0

* In April, 1903, Mrs. Chance gave a Donation of £30 "in memory of the late John Homer Chance." This will be included in next year's List.

	£	s.	d.
H. D., Birmingham	1	0	0
H. T.	0	4	3
Izon, William, Sandford Road, Moseley	0	10	0
Kemp, Thomas, Holyhead Road, Coventry (5th Donation)	2	2	0
Lecture at Burton, Collection after	3	15	9
Do. at Harborne Institute, Collection after	3	2	0
Do. at Severn Street Schools, Collection after	0	14	8
Luckman, Mrs., Stoney Lane, Moseley	0	5	0
"Lux"	0	5	0
McEwen, Mrs. K.	1	1	0
Mole, F. M., Westfield Road, Edgbaston (5th Donation to Christmas Festivities)	0	10	0
Moon, Mrs., Park Road, Moseley	0	7	0
Morton, Mrs., Coppice Road, Moseley	1	1	0
Muntz, Mrs., Park Hill, Moseley	0	2	6
Organ Recital at All Saints' Church, Leamington, Collection after	10	4	0
"Osiris" (3rd Donation to Christmas Festivities)	0	10	0
Palfrey, F. J., Edgbaston Street	0	10	6
Paskell, Charles, Spring Hill (Donation Box at Exhibition in Bingley Hall)	0	9	8
Pellow, W. J., Hylton Street	1	1	0
Phillips, Miss, Ardeneote, Warwick	10	10	0
Pool, Mrs., Trafalgar Road, Moseley	0	5	0
Prond, Mr., Montague Road, Handsworth (For Christmas Festivities)	1	0	0
Ridlington, J. E. and Son, South Street, Boston (2nd Donation)	0	5	0
Saunders, C. T., Ashley Grange, Moseley (For Special purpose)	0	5	0
Skelding, W. T., Brettell Lane (in addition to Subscription of Three Guineas)	10	10	0
Sparrow, Mr. and Mrs., Lichfield Road, Aston, per Miss Parkes	1	1	0
Starling, R. B., Birmingham	1	11	6
Stokes, Miss, Sir Harry's Road (2nd Donation to Christmas Festivities)	1	0	0
Sydenham, Robert, Tenby Street North	1	1	0
"Sympathy"	0	10	0
Suns under half-a-crown (nine Donors)	0	12	0
Tangyes, Limited, Birmingham (8th Donation to Christmas Festivities)	1	1	0
Usher, Samuel, Vyse Street	1	1	0
Waite, Josiah, Sandon Road	0	5	0
Walker, Miss, Leamington, "in memory of the late Mrs. S. A. Dunville"	20	0	0
White, Josiah, Woolstock Road, Moseley	0	5	0

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KINDERGARTEN SCHOOL BUILDING FUND.

Complete List of Donations Received or Promised towards the £17,500 Required.

Amount acknowledged in last Report (see page 70) ...	£9,074	17	4
Donations, from 9th July, 1902, to 31st March, 1903 ...	1,447	17	3
Donations since the close of the Financial Year ..	2,689	12	8

Total £13,212 7 3

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Adamson, Swainston	5	5	0	Brought forward	185	13	3
Ahronsberg Bros.	2	2	0	Anonymous, Miss S.	0	0	6
Albright, G. S.	10	0	0	„ „ Oxon”	1	0	0
Anonymous	0	10	0	„ Rocky Lane	0	10	6
„ per Metropolitan				„ Self-denial	0	2	6
Bank	10	0	0	„ per Rev. J. J.			
„ Donor	5	0	0	Hunt	16	0	0
„ A Friend,				„ Well-wisher..	0	5	0
(Cheltenham)	1	2	0	„ per W. T.			
„ A Friend	5	5	0	Taylor	0	10	6
„ A Friend	11	18	3	„ In small sums	1	9	8
„ A Friend	2	0	0	Archer, Miss	2	0	0
„ A Friend				Arnfield, Mrs. E.	10	0	0
(F.W.V.M.)	1	1	0	Ash, Joseph	10	10	0
„ A Friend	0	7	6	Asiford, Mrs. G. B.	1	1	0
„ „ Amiens”	100	0	0	Atkins, J. F.	0	10	0
„ A thank-of-				Atkinson, Dr. Miles	1	1	0
fering	0	10	0	Anster, Mrs.	0	5	0
„ Bath Street	0	2	0	Avery, Miss A. L.	20	0	0
„ Bart. Row	0	5	0				
„ B.G. & H.S.				Barton, Right Hon. Lord	100	0	0
(Collected by)	1	1	0	Bailey, Joseph	26	5	0
„ B.H.B. (Ox-				Baker, Mrs. Alfred	10	0	0
ford)	0	15	6	Baker, Edward	25	0	0
„ C.E.L.	1	0	0	*Ball, Miss Sarah	2,000	0	0
„ Colmore Row	0	10	0	da.	10	10	0
„ F.J.W.	0	7	6	Barclay, J. H.	20	0	0
„ Hagley Road	10	10	0	Barrow, Mrs. George	25	0	0
„ Hilda Kath-				Barrow, H.	2	2	0
leen	0	5	0	Barrows, Joseph	100	0	0
„ J.S.B.	0	10	0	Bates, A.	0	10	6
„ M.E.	10	0	0	Bayliss, Thos. R.	25	0	0
„ M.F.A. (Edin-				Beale, Chas. G.	25	0	0
burgh)	5	5	6	Belcher, Mrs. S. E.	1	0	0
„ Miss L.	0	1	0	Bellairs, Miss Hylda	2	2	0
				Bellairs, Miss Ida	0	10	0
Carried forward	185	13	3	Carried forward	2,617	18	5

* This amount has been received and placed on deposit with the Bank. It is subject to the payment of annuities amounting to £250 per annum during the lives of three persons, aged 65, 70, and 74 respectively.

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.		
Brought forward	2,617	18	5	Brought forward	3,457	0	5		
Bell, F. H. (the late)	...	10	10	0	Cheshire, Rev. J. S. (the late)	5	0	0	
Bennett, George	...	1	1	0	Clarke, Rev. J. Langton	...	1	1	0
Berrow, Miss	...	2	0	0	Clay, Charles J.	...	10	10	0
Best, G. A. H. Haden	...	10	10	0	Cliff, W. & Son	...	0	10	0
Best, Mrs.	...	5	0	0	Cockbill, Mrs.	...	1	0	0
Best, Walter	...	1	1	0	Coker, Miss	...	0	2	6
Bethune-Baker, Geo. T.	...	10	0	0	Collins, C.	...	0	5	0
Bevan, Prof. A. A.	...	50	0	0	Collins, J. T.	...	5	5	0
Billingsley, Mrs.	...	1	1	0	Cooke, Mrs. H. A.	...	1	1	0
Binyon, The Misses	...	3	0	0	Cooper, J. R. (the late)	...	50	0	0
Birmingham Guardians of the Poor	...	5	5	0	Cooper, Walter	...	1	1	0
Birmingham Metal and Munitions Co., Ltd. (Workpeople of)	...	5	0	0	Crane, Fredk.	...	1	1	0
Blood, T. G.	...	1	1	0	Crooke & Riley	...	1	1	0
Boddington, Samuel	...	10	10	0	Deakin, Mrs.	...	5	5	0
Bolding, J. Fredk.	...	10	10	0	Deakin, J. T.	...	0	7	6
Bolton, W. Ashby	...	50	0	0	Deem, Saml. A.	...	1	1	0
Bolton, Miss	...	10	10	0	Digby, Charles W.	...	5	0	0
Bolus, Alfred J.	...	21	0	0	Dixon, Miss H. M.	...	2	2	0
Brace, Mrs. E.	...	2	2	0	Dodd, J. Theodore	...	0	10	6
Brierley, L. H.	...	10	10	0	Dones, Miss H. (the late)	...	50	0	0
Brierley, Mrs. L. H.	...	5	5	0	Dowler, W. & Sons	...	0	5	0
Brookes, Mrs. J.	...	0	5	0	Drawing Room Meeting, Oxford, per Miss Heber- den, including £5 each from Mrs. J. H. Green and C. B. Heberden, Esq.	24	2	0	
Brotherton & Co.	...	2	2	0	Eardley-Wilmot, Dr. R.	...	1	1	0
Brown, J. Newland	...	1	1	0	Eastgate & Son	...	0	2	6
Bunce, The Misses	...	5	5	0	Edwards, George	...	500	0	0
Burnett, Mrs.	...	10	0	0	Edwards, Miss H.	...	100	0	0
Burt, Mrs. F.	...	2	2	0	Edwards, Samuel	...	5	5	0
Butler, G. H. Cuming	...	50	0	0	Emery, Edward	...	5	0	0
Butlin, Rev. James	...	0	10	6	Employees of G. H. Cuming Butler	...	5	5	0
Butlin, Miss L. M.	...	0	10	6	Evans, Miss E. M.	...	25	0	0
Calthorpe, Right Hon. Lord	200	0	0	Evans, T. D. F.	...	10	10	0	
Coventry, Right Rev., The Bishop of	...	5	0	0	Feeney, John	...	250	0	0
Cadbury, Barrow	...	50	0	0	Fereday, Mrs. S. D.	...	100	0	0
Cadbury, Edward	...	5	0	0	Field, A. S.	...	1	1	0
Cadbury, George	...	100	0	0	Fieldhouse, William J.	...	10	10	0
Cadbury, William A.	...	100	0	0	Foljambe, Rt. Hon. F. J. S.	...	10	0	0
Campbell, Mrs. Hugh	...	3	0	0	Forbes, J. Webster	...	1	1	0
Carr, Stephen	...	0	5	0	Foster, Henry	...	0	5	0
Carter, Mrs. E. M.	...	0	10	0	Foster, W. H.	...	100	0	0
Cartland, J. F. H.	...	10	10	0	Galton, Miss E. S.	...	5	0	0
Cartland, J. Howard	...	10	10	0	+Gardner's Trust for the Blind	...	1,500	0	0
Cartwright, Richard	...	0	5	0					
Chattock, R. S.	...	25	0	0					
Chatwin, J. A.	...	21	0	0					
Chatwin, Philip B.	...	10	10	0					
Carried forward	3,457	0	5	Carried forward	6,253	11	5		

† Payable in three instalments of £500, one for each £5,000 received in Donations, if £15,000 be raised before the close of 1903.

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.		
Brought forward	6,253	11	5	Brought forward	7,134	13	5		
Garrard, Mrs. M. E. ...	...	0	10	6	James, Mrs. C. ...	...	50	0	0
Gerwin & Co. ...	...	0	2	0	James, John ...	...	2	2	0
Gibbins, W. B. ...	...	100	0	0	Jenkins, James ...	...	5	5	0
Gilbert, John ...	...	1	1	0	Jenkins, William ...	...	21	0	0
Goddard, Miss Sissy (Col- lected by ...	...	0	3	6	Jernyn, Miss E. ...	...	0	10	6
Gomm, J. B. ...	...	0	5	0	Johnson, G. J. ...	...	25	0	0
Goodman, E. M. ...	...	250	0	0	Johnstone, G. H. ...	...	10	0	0
Goodman, F. B. ...	...	50	0	0	Jones-Bahne, F. E. T. ...	...	2	2	0
Grigg, Miss J. T. ...	...	0	2	0	do. 2nd Donation	...	2	2	0
Guy, Mrs. John ...	...	10	0	0	Jones-Bahne, F. M. T. ...	...	10	0	0
Howe, Rt. Hon. The Earl	...	5	5	0	Jones, The Misses ...	...	2	2	0
Hall, Mrs. E. ...	...	0	10	6	Jones, William ...	...	20	0	0
Handley, Edwin (the late)	...	15	15	0	Jordan, Mrs. R. G. ...	...	10	0	0
Harris, Joseph ...	...	5	0	0	Keep, Arthur W. ...	...	10	0	0
Harrison, Percy ...	...	5	5	0	Keep, Joseph S. ...	...	50	0	0
Harrold, Miss E. ...	...	50	0	0	Kenrick, Archibald ...	...	10	0	0
Hawkes, O. C. ...	...	50	0	0	Kenrick, G. H. ...	...	100	0	0
Heaton & Dugard ...	...	5	0	0	Kenway, Miss M. H. ...	...	10	0	0
Hemington, James ...	...	5	0	0	Kenway, W. E. ...	...	1	1	0
Hewetson, Mrs. ...	...	1	1	0	Knight, Miss S. J. ...	...	5	0	0
Hickman, Mrs. ...	...	10	10	0	Laubenberg, C. H. & Co. ...	...	0	2	6
Hill, Miss ...	...	1	1	0	Lawrence & Lingard ...	...	1	1	0
Hills, William Geo. ...	...	0	10	0	Lawrence, J. ...	...	1	0	0
Hinks, James & Son, Ltd.	...	2	2	0	Lawson, Edward ...	...	10	10	0
Hipkins, W. E. ...	...	3	3	0	Lea, Mrs. George (the late)	...	50	0	0
Hirsch & Stern ...	...	20	0	0	Lea, Henry ...	...	50	0	0
Hodder, Miss ...	...	1	0	0	Levi & Salaman ...	...	1	1	0
Hodbeche, Thomas V. ...	...	5	0	0	Lewis, John ...	...	1	1	0
Hodder, H. C. ...	...	50	0	0	Lewis's B'ham. ...	...	5	0	0
Holder, Mrs. H. C. ...	...	5	0	0	Lewis, Sir Wm. Thos. ...	...	5	0	0
Holinsworth, A. B. ...	...	25	0	0	Lloyd, Howard ...	...	50	0	0
Holinsworth, C. B. ...	...	50	0	0	Lloyd, John Henry ...	...	10	0	0
Holmes, Mr. ...	...	0	5	0	Lott, Mrs. S. ...	...	0	5	0
Holy, Miss E. H. ...	...	10	0	0	Lowe, Arthur L. ...	...	50	0	0
Homer, Miss ...	...	1	1	0	do. 2nd Donation	...	50	0	0
Homer, Rev. Henry ...	...	5	5	6	Lowe, Conway ...	...	21	0	0
Homes, J. P. ...	...	0	5	0	do. 2nd Donation	...	29	0	0
Horne, Thomas ...	...	10	0	0	Lowe, H. Burman ...	...	5	5	0
Horton, Joshua J. ...	...	1	1	0	Lowe, Mrs. Thomas ...	...	2	2	0
Houghton, Fredk. ...	...	50	0	0	Ludlow, Edwin ...	...	1	1	0
Howard-Vyse, H. H. ...	...	25	0	0	Lunn, Miss ...	...	0	1	11
Howell, Joseph B. ...	...	0	10	0	Mackenzie, Mrs. ...	...	100	0	0
Hughes, F. J. ...	...	10	10	0	McEwen, Mrs. ...	...	2	2	0
Hull, James ...	...	25	0	0	Magrath, E. ...	...	1	1	0
Hunt, Mrs. J. ...	...	0	10	0	Mathan, Miss M. C. ...	...	0	5	0
Hyam & Co., Ltd. ...	...	10	0	0	Mandell, Miss ...	...	0	5	0
Ingram, Mrs. ...	...	3	3	0	do. 2nd Donation	...	0	5	0
Jackson, Miss M. ...	...	0	5	0	Mann, Mrs. ...	...	0	10	0
Carried forward	7,134	13	5	Carried forward	7,934	1	4		

	£	s.	d.
Brought forward	7,934	1	4
Marlow, Charles F. ...	1	1	0
Marriott, Geo. H. ...	10	10	0
Martino, Mrs. F. R. ...	0	5	0
do. 2nd Donation	0	2	6
Meire, Miss E. M. (the late)	1	1	0
Middleton, Miss A. ...	1	1	0
Midland Vinegar Co., The	5	0	0
Mitchell, A. B. ...	2	2	0
do. 2nd Donation	10	10	0
Mitchell, F. W. V., "in memory of his wife" ...	500	0	0
do. 2nd Donation	500	0	0
Mitchell, John ...	3	3	0
Montagu, Miss A. ...	20	0	0
Moore, C. W. B. ...	25	0	0
Moreton, Alfred ...	10	10	0
Morson, Mrs. J. ...	1	1	0
Muggleton, Mrs. ...	5	5	0
Myers, George ...	50	0	0
Nathan, George ...	2	2	0
Nettlefold, Mrs. ...	10	0	0
Nevill, R. A. ...	1	1	0
Newman, Bros. ...	1	0	0
Newman, George F. ...	2	2	0
Newton, Miss ...	5	0	0
Organ Recital, Coventry, per Rev. G. C. Vecqueray	3	11	3
Oshorn, Charles (the late)	25	0	0
Oshorn, W. B. ...	5	0	0
Otley, Thomas ...	0	5	0
Owen, Rev. Canon Mansfield	1	1	0
Padmore, Edwin ...	5	5	0
Padmore, Harry R. ...	10	10	0
Parker, E. Lawley ...	10	10	0
Parkinson, Bernard R. ...	2	0	0
Parsons, Mrs. I. ...	5	0	0
Pattison, Arthur J. ...	5	0	0
Pattison, Mrs. A. J. ...	5	0	0
Pearson, Howard S. ...	1	1	0
Pearson, Joseph H. (the late) ...	21	0	0
Petersen, Th. W. ...	2	2	0
Petit, J. L. ...	50	0	0
Phillips, J. Palmer ...	50	0	0
Portway, Charles ...	1	1	0
Postle, W. H. ...	1	0	0
Power, Robert ...	1	0	0
Poynting, Prof. J. H. ...	1	1	0
Preston, Edward ...	0	5	0

Carried forward 9,308 10 1

	£	s.	d.
Brought forward	9,308	10	1
Pugh, Mrs. C. H. ...	10	10	0
Pugh, Miss E. Vernon ...	5	0	0
Randle & Smith ...	1	0	0
Rathbone, Mrs. Benson ...	30	0	0
Read, Charles ...	5	5	0
Reeves, William ...	0	10	6
Reid, J. W. ...	0	10	0
Richards, D. W. ...	0	10	6
Richards, J. H. ...	0	10	6
Richardson, Rev. John ...	5	0	0
Rickards, Mrs. ...	50	0	0
Robinson, Miss ...	0	10	0
Robinson, William ...	10	0	0
Roderick, Miss (the late) ...	1	1	0
Roderick, Miss M. ...	1	1	0
Rodway, W. L. ...	0	2	0
Roe, Amos ...	3	3	0
Rowlinson, Mrs. (the late)	2	2	0
Royal Liver Friendly So- ciety (Agents of) per			
J. E. Walton ...	2	2	0
Ryland, W. H. ...	5	0	0
Saddington, Miss ...	0	5	0
Salmon, Miss M. ...	1	0	0
Sapeote, W. & Sons ...	5	5	0
Sargant, Mrs. C. (the late)	1	10	0
Saunders, C. T. ...	100	0	0
Saunders, Thos. H. ...	2	2	0
Sayers, J. A. ...	0	10	6
Schürhoff, Hermann ...	5	0	0
Scott, William M. ...	3	3	0
Seydel & Co. ...	0	10	0
Shackleford, A. L. ...	1	1	0
Shore, Rev. P. C. ...	0	3	6
Simmons, James ...	1	1	0
Singleton, A. H. ...	10	10	0
Skelding, W. T. ...	10	10	0
Small, W. H. ...	5	5	0
Smallwood, Joseph ...	10	10	0
Smart, Miss A. ...	0	5	0
Smart, E. J. ...	10	10	0
Smeaton, Mrs. ...	0	5	0
Smith, Mrs. Henry ...	5	5	0
Smith, Howard S. ...	10	10	0
Smith, Priestley ...	5	0	0
Smith, Rupert ...	2	0	0
Smith, Miss ...	5	5	0
Smithson, Mrs. George ...	5	0	0
Sonthall, Mrs. Thomas (the late) ...	2	2	0

Carried forward 9,646 15 7

	£	s.	d.
Brought forward	9,646	15	7
Southly, Miss H. S. ...	1	1	0
Stevenson, G. F. ...	2	2	0
Stocker, Mrs. ...	3	3	0
Stokes, Miss ...	100	0	0
Strange, Rev. Canon C. ...	10	10	0
Stubbs, Miss ...	0	10	0
Sydenham, Robert ...	5	0	0
Tailby James ...	1	1	0
Tangye, Allan ...	10	0	0
Tangye, George ...	100	0	0
Tangye, Harry ...	10	0	0
Tangye, William ...	10	0	0
Tarbotton, J. C. & Nephew	1	0	0
Taylor, Charles ...	1	1	0
Taylor, H. W. and T. ...	5	0	0
Temple, Stephen ...	5	5	0
Thacker, F. C. ...	1	1	0
Thompson, N. (the late) ...	5	5	0
Thompson, S. H. ...	50	0	0
Timmins, Mrs. George ...	5	0	0
Timmis, Mrs. ...	1	1	0
Tompkins, Miss Lucy ...	0	10	0
Tonks, Miss E. ...	4	4	0
Tunbridge, W. T. ...	0	10	6
Tunbull, J. R. ...	5	5	0
Turner, Mrs. F. ...	5	0	0
Turton, Miss ...	0	10	0
Unite, Mrs. ...	10	0	0
do. 2nd Donation	100	0	0
do. 3rd Donation	50	0	0
do. 4th Donation	100	0	0
Unite, W. O. (the late) ..	50	0	0
Vandrey, J. C. ...	10	10	0
Carried forward	10,311	5	1

	£	s.	d.
Brought forward	10,311	5	1
Wiggin, Sir Henry, Bart. ...	50	0	0
Walford, J. S. ...	0	10	0
Walker, Baron R. ...	3	3	0
Walker, T. Sydney ...	5	5	0
Walker, Mrs. T. S. ...	5	0	0
Wall, Charles ...	0	10	0
Wallis, Hubert ...	5	5	0
Ward, Miss E. T. ...	0	10	0
Weiss, Henry G. ...	50	0	0
Wheler, Mrs. E. ...	5	0	0
Whittaker, Mrs. ...	1	0	0
Whitworth, William ...	3	0	0
Whyman, John ...	2	2	0
Wiggin, Henry A. ...	10	0	0
Wilde, Mrs. ...	0	10	0
Wilkinson, E. W. ...	5	5	0
Wilkinson, Howard ...	5	5	0
Willcox, Mrs. ...	1	1	0
Williams, Mrs. J. B. (the late)	0	10	6
Willson, Rev. J. Wright ...	2	2	0
Wilson, Alfred ...	10	0	0
Woods, Edward ...	10	10	0
Woodward, Miss A. ...	5	0	0
Workpeople of Metallic			
Seamless Tube Co. ...	1	0	0
Worthington, Alfred W. ...	2	2	0
Wray, George ...	1	0	0
Wright, G. E. ...	20	0	0
Wright, Mrs. John ...	1	1	0
do. 2nd Donation	1	0	0
Wright, Miss G. M. ...	0	10	0
Wright, J. ...	0	5	0
Yonggs ...	1	1	0
Zeller, F. J. ...	2	2	0
Total Amount, 31st March			
1903 ...	£10,522	14	7

The following Donations have been received or promised since the close of the Financial Year:—

	£	s.	d.
Albright, William A. ...	100	0	0
"Amicus" (2nd don.) ...	100	0	0
Anonymous, per L.H.B. ...	0	5	0
Ansell's Brewery, Ltd. ...	10	10	0
Aston, William ...	10	10	0
Atkins, J. F. (2nd don.)...	0	5	0
Carried forward	221	10	0

	£	s.	d.
Brought forward	221	10	0
Baker, Edward (2nd don.)	5	0	0
Birmingham Metal and			
Munitions Co., Ltd.			
(Officials of) ...	5	0	0
Bissell, Mrs. W. ...	1	1	0
Carried forward	232	11	0

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Brought forward	232	11	0	Brought forward	2,284	15	0
Bowen, Miss F. ...	1	1	0	Montagn, Miss A. (2nd don.)	20	10	8
Chance, Mrs. J. Homer ...	10	0	0	Mitchell, Edgar V. ...	25	0	0
Chattock, R. S. (2nd don.)	5	0	0	Mole, Mrs. J. H. ...	20	0	0
Clymer, Miss H. E. ...	5	0	0	Newey, Mrs. C. I. ...	1	1	0
Compton, Mrs. S. M. ...	1	0	0	Plater, John J. ...	10	10	0
Cooke, Mrs. H. A. ...	0	5	0	Peyton, Richard ...	250	0	0
Cooper, J. R. (the late)	2,000	0	0	Rogers, Mrs. Hallewell,			
Edwards, W. H. ...	2	2	0	Lady Mayoress of			
Farncombe, W. F. ...	1	1	0	Birmingham ...	10	10	0
Hanbury, Sir Thomas ...	1	0	0	Rogers, Mrs. ...	0	10	0
Hall, Miss ...	1	1	0	Rushton, W. T. ...	50	0	0
Hannay, J. M. ...	0	2	6	Sherwood, Mrs. F. ...	1	1	0
Homer, Rev. Henry (2nd don.)	0	10	6	Strange, L. A. ...	2	2	0
Hunter, Thomas ...	2	0	0	Suffern, A. C. ...	1	1	0
Jones, Miss ...	1	1	0	Timmins, Mrs. ...	2	2	0
Keay, James ...	5	5	0	Weiss, Mrs. J. ...	5	5	0
Lowe, Mrs. Arthur L. ...	5	5	0	Welshman, W. H. ...	5	5	0
Maekenzie, Mrs. (2nd don.)	10	10	0				
Carried forward	2,284	15	0		£2,689	12	8

LEGACIES.

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
1850—51.				1855—56.			
Sir George Chetwynd, Bart.	100	0	0	Mrs. Gammon ...	19	19	0
Miss Reynolds ...	19	19	0	Miss Mary Partridge ...	19	19	0
1851—52.				Jesse Wilkes ...	25	0	0
John Whorral ...	100	0	0	1856—57.			
William Botfield ...	50	0	0	Mrs. Jane Dadd ...	10	0	0
1852—53.				T. H. Hasluek ...	5	0	0
Thomas Ford ...	100	0	0	Miss Laura Hunt ...	10	10	0
Isaac Anderton ...	50	0	0	1857—58.			
Miss M. Fidgin ...	5	0	0	John Wright ...	64	10	11
1853—54.				Mrs. Kennedy, Trustees of	10	0	0
Miss Clark ...	10	0	0	1858—59.			
Mrs. Underhill ...	50	0	0	Edward Armfield ...	45	0	0
William Hoddinott ...	560	11	10	Miss Mary Burman ...	19	19	0
Miss Soden ...	5	0	0	Miss Sarah Burman ...	19	19	0
William Coney ...	5	0	0	Mrs. Esther Lowe Hill ...	20	0	0
1854—55.				W. H. Ricketts ...	100	0	0
Joseph Smallwood ...	100	0	0	Thomas Whitfield ...	100	0	0
Charles Adams ...	19	19	0	1859—60.			
Miss Ann Baldwin ...	50	0	0	Thos. Simpson ...	45	0	0
William Dent ...	100	0	0	Clement Ingleby ...	45	0	0
William Hoddinott ...	89	19	10				

LEGACIES.

1860—61.

	£	s.	d.
Thomas Cotterill ...	500	0	0
Matthew Keirle ...	100	0	0
Lewis Lyons ...	50	0	0

1861—62.

Miss Esther Lowe Hill ...	100	0	0
Mrs. A. Barber ...	100	0	0
William Spiers ...	19	19	0

1862—63.

Mrs. Mary Taylor ...	19	19	0
Henry Bate ...	48	5	8

1863—64.

Thomas Adcock ...	19	19	0
John P. Foster ...	100	0	0
John Perry ...	54	0	0
Captain Samuel Wheeley ...	90	0	0
Alexander Seymour Wills ...	10	0	0

1864—65.

Beriah Bottfield ...	10	10	0
Miss C. D. G. Brookshaw ...	10	0	0
George Goodwin ...	105	0	0
Mrs. Kentish ...	50	0	0
William Perry ...	50	0	0
R. J. Reeves ...	100	0	0
Miss Ricketts ...	19	19	0
Charles Rowley ...	40	0	0

1865—66.

Mrs. S. Goodman ...	50	0	0
Miss Harold ...	100	0	0
Thomas Parker ...	50	0	0
E. Rabone ...	100	0	0
J. Woodcock ...	10	0	0

1866—67.

James Lloyd ...	100	0	0
James Busby ...	50	0	0
Miss Newland ...	200	0	0
James McCardie ...	19	19	0
George R. Elkington ...	300	0	0

1867—68.

Samuel Hunt ...	50	0	0
Thomas Field ...	50	0	0
John C. Chandler ...	25	0	0
Mrs. George Goodwin ...	100	0	0
John Beach ...	500	0	0
Charles Stockton ...	50	0	0
Sammel Perry ...	50	0	0
Miss Hannah Bailey ...	19	19	0

1868—69.

	£	s.	d.
James Howell ...	50	0	0
Frederick Fawdry ...	250	0	0
Harry James Onion ...	50	0	0
John Terrett ...	489	1	0
Moses Rubenstein ...	5	0	0
Thomas Howell ...	100	0	0
Richard Tovey ...	207	18	10
Miss Mary Terrett ...	300	11	11
Mrs. Catherine Wallbank ...	126	14	8

1869—70.

E. Matthews ...	90	0	0
Josh. Hodgson ...	50	0	0
Robert Smith ...	100	0	0

1870—71.

Thomas Crowley ...	500	0	0
Josh. Greaves ...	19	19	0
Miss Anna Hunt ...	50	0	0

1871—72.

Miss Alston ...	50	0	0
Miss E. Hinks ...	10	0	0
Thomas Tonks ...	100	0	0
William Hineckley ...	90	0	0
Bernard Rice ...	50	0	0
Mrs. Sutton ...	500	0	0
Charles Richards ...	19	19	0
Thomas Cox ...	8	0	0
B. Chandler ...	25	0	0

1872—73.

Thomas Jenkins ...	50	0	0
Miss Anderton ...	50	0	0
W. H. Brown ...	180	9	10
Charles Osborne ...	10	0	0
Miss Fellows ...	500	0	0
George N. Smith ...	50	0	0
Joseph Gillott ...	70	0	0
Mrs. Mary Pritchett ...	50	0	0
Jesse Bartleet ...	25	0	0
Miss Jane Food ...	204	17	3

1873—74.

Frederick Cotton ...	10	0	0
Thomas White ...	180	0	0
Rev. John Ingleby ...	19	19	0

1874—75.

William Tredwell ...	105	0	0
George Yates ...	100	0	0
Edwin Yates ...	50	0	0
Philip Phillips ...	19	19	0
George Unite ...	50	0	0

LEGACIES.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1875—76.				1881—82.		
George Atkins ...	25	0	0	John Masgreave ...	10	10 0
Samuel Caswell ...	50	0	0	John Richards ...	10	0 0
Edmund Heeley ...	45	0	0	1882—83.		
Rev. J. Ingleby (per G. P. Wragge) ...	500	0	0	Mrs. Pratt ...	100	0 0
William James ...	100	0	0	Charles Weston ...	300	0 0
Mrs. Luey Munden ...	100	0	0	J. A. Williams ...	50	0 0
Edward Uppill ...	19	19	0	Edward Pugh ...	500	0 0
1876—77.				Miss Jane Thomas ...	100	0 0
Miss Rebecca Auderton ...	50	0	0	Henry Berens ...	20	0 0
Mrs. Elizabeth Crump ...	50	0	0	John P. Litchfield ...	10	0 0
William Dudley ...	100	0	0	1883—84.		
Miss Jane Food ...	82	5	8	Mrs. Jones ...	500	0 0
Mrs. Harriet Molony ...	50	0	0	Thomas Yates ...	100	0 0
Mrs. Catherine Oliver ...	100	0	0	Miss Secker ...	360	0 0
Mrs. Thomas Phillips ...	50	0	0	Mrs. Hadley ...	9	0 0
Miss Ann Rushton ...	1,116	7	7	1884—85.		
1877—78.				William Davis ...	1,823	5 6
Miss Theresa S. Ashmore ...	100	0	0	Edwin Cotterill ...	100	15 7
Mrs. Mary M. Armitage ...	50	0	0	Peter Roxburgh ...	150	0 0
John Barwell ...	50	0	0	William Fleeming ...	45	0 0
Richard Brooke Haughton ...	50	0	0	1885—86.		
Samuel Corfield ...	57	5	4	Mrs. Mary Broome ...	784	1 5
Miss Jane Food ...	82	16	8	Mrs. Emma Osmond ...	500	0 0
John Thomas Halgood ...	50	0	0	Thomas Wells Blakeway ...	100	0 0
John Inston ...	300	0	0	1886—87.		
Miss Mary Jackson ...	100	0	0	Mrs. Sarah Hannah Brown ...	45	0 0
Miss Mary Lee ...	200	0	0	Joseph Greaves ...	50	0 0
Richard Powell ...	100	0	0	Charles Hollins ...	45	0 0
Solomon Sacks ...	10	0	0	Peter Hollins ...	100	0 0
1878—79.				John Swinburn ...	50	0 0
E. Bower ...	19	19	0	Miss Weston ...	100	0 0
T. R. Fearon ...	5	0	0	John Whitmore ...	900	0 0
Miss Jane Food ...	36	8	7	1887—88.		
John Francis ...	50	0	0	George Ashforth ...	25	0 0
1879—80.				Charles Cartwright ...	50	0 0
Mrs. Elizabeth Bennett ...	500	0	0			
Mrs. Prudence P. Bissell ...	200	0	0			
Samuel Briggs ...	100	0	0			
Mrs. Mary Charlton ...	300	0	0			
Matthias R. Griffin ...	100	0	0			
Samuel Messenger ...	100	0	0			
John Spence ...	72	0	11			
1880—81.						
David Bolton ...	103	13	4			
Mrs. Sarah Cashmore ...	10	0	0			
Mrs. M. A. Freeth ...	10	0	0			
Miss Lambert ...	45	0	0			

LEGACIES.

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Mrs. Elizabeth Clements	19	19	0	Joseph Guest	...	50	0 0
Miss Jane Goodman	19	19	0	Mrs. Keep	...	100	0 0
Robert Hughes	50	0	0	J. Millward	...	20	0 0
W. S. Lewis	250	0	0	Joseph Parry	...	52	3 9
W. Henry Mandsley	100	0	0	Charles Richards	...	19	19 0
William Middlemore	100	0	0	Mrs. Roberts	...	19	11 0
John Owen	10	0	0	Miss L. Ryland	...	200	0 0
Charles Rickards	100	0	0	Mrs. Sanders	...	11	13 1
William Webb	100	0	0	W. Walton	...	50	0 0
William Westley	100	0	0	Edwin Wright	...	50	0 0

1888—89.

Miss Barwell	25	0	0
Francis Deakin	100	0	0
Mrs. Elizabeth Jackson	50	0	0
Mrs. George Lea	50	0	0
Philip Henry Muntz	100	0	0
J. Stubbs	90	0	0

1890—91.

Miss M. A. Bedford	...	160	0 0
Miss H. P. Cope (for Adult Blind Branch)	...	112	10 0
John Boucher	...	1	14 11
Peter Hollins	...	5	0 0
Mrs. S. Mitchell	...	100	0 0
Alfred Stokes	...	50	0 0

1889—90.

John Boucher	923	0	9
Miss J. A. Davies	100	0	0
John Finch	20	0	0

1891—92.

Edward Hinton Rose	...	100	0 0
Frederick Murray Smith	...	200	0 0
John Hurst	...	25	0 0
Mrs. Hawkesford	...	3	4 0

FROM LADY-DAY, 1892, TO LADY-DAY, 1893. £ s. d.

Adams, John Foster, Whitacre	...	1,000	0 0
Armitage, James	...	453	8 3
Chadwick, James, Tanworth	...	160	0 0
Chesshire, Barnabas, Edgbaston	...	100	0 0
Denman, P. H., Moseley	...	500	0 0
Wagner, C. H., Edgbaston	...	90	0 0
Weston, Miss Eliza, Leamington (<i>on account</i>)	...	84	0 0

FROM LADY-DAY, 1893, TO LADY-DAY, 1894.

Bailey, James, Warwick	...	50	0 0
Russell, Mrs. E., Birmingham	...	100	0 0
Smith, Mrs. Mary, Birmingham	...	180	0 0
Twist, Francis, Birmingham	...	530	10 6
Weston, Miss Eliza, Leamington (balance of £105) <i>duty free</i>	...	21	0 0

FROM 25th MARCH, 1894, TO 31st MARCH, 1895.

Avery, Thomas, Edgbaston	...	1,000	0 0
Davenport, Daniel, Birmingham	...	45	0 0
Hassall, Miss, Stonbridge	...	9	0 0
Hassall, Miss, Stonbridge	...	50	0 0
Newton, W. C., Birmingham	...	94	10 0
Pugh, John, West Bromwich	...	50	0 0
Reay, Miss Elizabeth, Handsworth	...	25	0 0
Woodward, Mrs., Knowle	...	...	...

LEGACIES.

£ s. d.

FROM 31st MARCH, 1895, TO 31st MARCH, 1896.

Baker, Mrs., Bromsgrove	180	0	0
Burman, Thomas, Tanworth	100	0	0
Green, Thomas, Birmingham	20	0	0
North, George, Selly Oak	50	0	0
Twentyman, J. J., Smethwick	100	0	0
Twist, Francis, Birmingham ($\frac{1}{2}$ of Residue)	15	2	6

FROM 31st MARCH, 1896, TO 31st MARCH, 1897.

Nil.

FROM 31st MARCH, 1897, TO 31st MARCH, 1898.

Barker, William, Birmingham	45	0	0
Burman, Mrs. E., Waring's Green, Tanworth	450	0	0
Danks, Mrs. Ann, Lichfield	68	2	10
Edge, Mrs. Elizabeth, Rowley Regis	50	0	0
Ferguson, Mrs. P. L., Great Malvern	200	0	0
Fessey, Joseph, Leamington	100	0	0
Fulford, H. C., Birmingham	405	0	0
Greenway, Mrs. Eliza, Sheldon	100	0	0
Mole, James S., Birmingham	909	3	4
Singleton, William, Birmingham	250	0	0

FROM 31st MARCH, 1898, TO 31st MARCH, 1899.

Aston, Samuel, Birmingham	18	0	0
Best, Joseph, Birmingham... ..	100	0	0
Cobley, James, Birmingham	45	0	0
Danks, Mrs. Ann, Lichfield (2nd instalment)	22	5	8
Holliday, William, Birmingham	500	0	0
Kean, W. C., Handsworth... ..	250	0	0
Masefield, William, Birmingham	100	0	0
Pearce, Mrs. Elizabeth, Handsworth	20	0	0

FROM 31st MARCH, 1899, TO 31st MARCH, 1900.

Barrow, George, Torquay	200	0	0
Chattock, Miss F. C., Solihull	45	0	0
Danks, Mrs. Ann, Lichfield (3rd instalment)	21	16	6
Edwardes, Mrs. S., Cannock	50	0	0
Fawdry, H. H., Sutton Coldfield	90	0	0
Lindner, M., Birmingham	100	0	0
Lowe, Henry, Birmingham	100	0	0
Parker, Benjamin, Birmingham	9	0	0

LEGACIES.

£ s. d.

FROM 31st MARCH, 1900, TO 31st MARCH, 1901.

Albright, Arthur, Edgbaston	...	...	...	...	150	0	0
Crockett, Thomas, Halesowen	...	...	...	...	90	0	0
Danks, Mrs. Ann, Lichfield (4th instalment)	...	...	...	...	11	14	0
Gooby, Miss Ellen, Haddenham	...	...	...	...	100	0	0
Seymour, Miss Susan, Bromsgrove	...	...	...	...	32	3	4
Swinson, Henry, Bromsgrove	...	...	...	...	100	0	0

FROM 31st MARCH, 1901, TO 31st MARCH, 1902.

Curtis, Miss Sarah, Tamworth	...	...	...	...	1,000	0	0
Gibson, H. W., Edgbaston	...	...	...	...	100	0	0
Gray, John William, Leamington	...	...	...	...	90	0	0
Harvie, Miss Hannah, Cheltenham	...	...	...	...	1,000	0	0
Ingall, W. G., Birmingham	...	...	...	...	90	0	0
Lucas, Mrs. Sarah, Birmingham	...	...	...	...	180	0	0
Robinson, John, Handsworth	...	...	...	...	25	0	0
Tonks, Samuel, Edgbaston	...	...	...	...	90	0	0
Wood, William H., Birmingham	...	...	...	...	666	13	4

LEGACIES.

FROM 31st MARCH, 1902, TO 31st MARCH, 1903.

£ s. d.

Archer, Hyla, Walsall	...	...	...	...	90	0	0
Bentley, Thomas, Acock's Green	...	...	...	...	90	0	0
Danks, Mrs. Ann, Lichfield (5th instalment)	...	...	...	...	11	18	4
Edkins, Charles, Penns	...	...	...	...	50	0	0
Griffiths, E. T., Birmingham (For Endowment Fund)	...	...	...	...	100	0	0
Hadley, Felix, Birmingham (Allotment on preliminary division)	...	...	...	...	315	18	8
Lea, Mrs. George, Edgbaston	...	...	...	...	300	0	0
Showell, Walter, Birmingham	...	...	...	...	200	0	0
					<hr/> £1,157 17 0 <hr/>		

PRESENTS, &c.

- Dugdale, Lady Eva, Snitterfield House, Stratford-on-Avon, and Miss Townshend, Hollyfield, Sutton Coldfield—30 articles of clothing for Adult Blind Branch, from The Needlework Guild (South Warwickshire Division).
- Wilmot, Mrs., Fairbridge, Selly Park—30 articles of clothing for Adult Blind Branch from The Birmingham Needlework Guild.
- Beard, Mrs., Warstone Terrace, Handsworth—Quantity of Clothing for distribution.
- Blind Tea Agency, London, per C. E. Dinstow—Embossed Magazines.
- Bolton, W. Ashby, Carpenter Road—Clothing for distribution, Steel Engraving for Officers' Dining Room.
- Bowater, W. H., Hon. Surgeon-Dentist, Broad Street—Artificial Teeth for two pupils.
- British and Foreign Bible Association, London—Embossed Book for Blind Worker.
- Burt, Mrs. F., Portland Road—Embossed Books, 2 vols.
- Cadbury, Bros., Limited, Bournville—573 Coronation Tins of Chocolate.
- Charities' Secretaries' Club—Fruit for pupils.
- Chatwin, J. A., Wellington House, Edgbaston—Evergreens for Christmas Decorations.
- Coles, Mrs., Graveney Road, Tooting, S.W.—A Calendar and Cake for pupils.
- Colonial Produce Co., Ltd., London—Fruit.
- Edwards, Miss Helen, Hagley Road—Christmas Letters in Braille and Moon Types for Pupils and Day Workers. Oranges for pupils.
- Evans, Miss, Portland Road—Embossed Book.
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Jowett, Rev. J. H., Clydesdale, Oxford Road, Moseley ...	0	10	0
Kenrick, The Right Hon. William, The Grove, Harborne ...	1	1	0
Keay, Ernest C., Westfield Road, Edgbaston...	1	1	0
Keeling, S. H., Wynyate, Woodbourne Road ...	1	1	0
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Kenway, Miss M. H., Holly Bank, Moseley ...	1	1	0
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Rayner, Frederick, Carpenter Road	2	2	0
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Stevens, James, Holyhead Road, Handsworth	1	1	0
Stevens, William, 139, New Street	1	1	0
Stevenson, G. F., York Road, Edgbaston	1	1	0
Steynor, James, Great Malvern	1	1	0
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Whyman, John, 6, Forster Road, West Smethwick ...	0	10	6
Wilkes, Mrs. J., Craven Lodge, Leamington ...	1	1	0
Wilkes, John, Sons, and Mapplebeck, Limited, Liverpool Street	1	1	0
Wilkins, T. B., Great Charles Street ...	0	10	6
Wilkinson and Riddell, Limited, Cherry Street ...	2	2	0
Willcox, Thomas and Co., 100, Bradford Street ...	1	1	0

ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTIONS.		£	s.	d.
Williams, E. C., Garrison Lane	...	0	5	0
Williams, Mrs. J., Tennyson Road, Small Heath	...	0	10	6
Williams, S. D., Broonie Close, Sutton Coldfield	...	1	1	0
Williams, W. J., 39, Cox Street, St. Paul's	...	1	1	0
Willis, H. C., The Briars, Hagley Road	...	1	1	0
Wilson, Alfred, Woodcroft, Woodbourne Road	...	2	2	0
Wilson, J. E., Wyddrington, Edgbaston	...	1	1	0
Wilson, John William, Perrycroft, Malvern	...	1	1	0
Wingfield-Digby, J. K., Coleshill	...	1	1	0
Winkley, William, Vyse Street	...	0	10	6
Winnall, George, Newhall Street	...	0	10	6
Woodhall, Samuel, Great Barr	...	2	2	0
Woods, Edward, 45, Onslow Gardens, London, S.W.	...	2	2	0
Woodward, Miss, Gillott Road, Edgbaston	...	1	1	0
Woodward, James, Park Avenue, Handsworth	...	1	1	0
Wootton, Mrs. E. H., Rotton Park Road, Edgbaston	...	1	1	0
Workmen of W. Robinson, Bath Row, per S. H. Speake	...	1	1	0
Workpeople of Birmingham Metal and Munitions Co., Ltd., Adderley Park Mills, per J. Fletcher, Secretary	...	2	2	0
Wright, Edwin, Granville House, Wellington Road	...	1	1	0
Wright, J. Leslie, Hampton-in-Arden	...	1	1	0
Wright, Miss M. L., 111, Pershore Road	...	1	1	0
Wright and Hadgkiss, 9, Vyse Street	...	1	1	0
Wym, W. H., Carpenter Road	...	2	2	0
Yardley, D., Lansdown House, Pedmore, Stourbridge	...	1	1	0
Yates and Co., Exchange Works, Rocky Lane	...	1	1	0
Yeld, G. Anson, Crayton Lodge, Leamington	...	0	10	0
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	£	s.	d.
Adams, Thomas, 67, Trinity Road, Birchfield	0	10	6
Atkinson, Miles C., Leamington (To Kindergarten School)	1	1	0
Barlow, John H., Sunmybrae, Selly Oak	1	1	0
Cooper, John W., 212, Birchfield Road, Birmingham	1	1	0
Curral, Howard S., Park Hill, Moseley	1	1	0
Dale, Mrs., Selborne Road, Handsworth	0	5	0

	£	s.	d.
Day, Edward, 28, Warstone Lane, Birmingham	1	1	0
Dugard, Herbert A., 21, Trinity Road, Birchfield	1	1	0
Dugard, William H., 255, Birchfield Road	1	1	0
Goose, William, Calthorpe Road, Edgbaston	1	1	0
Green, Richard, Claverdon Hall	1	1	0
Herbert, B., Dudley Park Road, Acock's Green	0	10	6
Howard, Isaac, Bottville Road, Acock's Green	1	1	0
Jewish Children's Guild of Kindness, per Mrs. Frederick Joseph, Clarendon Road, Edgbaston	1	1	0
Keay, James, The Cedars, Great Barr	1	1	0
King, James, Ampton Road, Edgbaston	1	1	0
Morrison, Miss, 7, Trinity Road, Birchfield	1	1	0
Mullard, Thomas S., 10, Robert Road, Handsworth	1	1	0
Nettlefold, Godfrey, Peachfield, Edgbaston	1	1	0
Oliver, Miss F., 54, Beaufort Road, Edgbaston	1	0	0
Panton, Mrs., 73, Westfield Road, Edgbaston	2	2	0
Pepper, H. A., Berwyn, Selborne Road, Handsworth	0	5	0
Roderick, Miss, 11, Soho Road, Handsworth	2	2	0
Rooke, Abraham, 12, Bennett's Hill, Birmingham	1	1	0
Smith, Samuel S., Prior's Field, Edgbaston	1	1	0
S.A.B.	increased to	1	0
The Fredk. Crane Chemical Co., Newhall Street	1	1	0
Thwaite, N., Angustus Road, Edgbaston	increased to	2	2
Tipper, David A., 14, Robert Road, Handsworth	1	1	0
Todd, R. Stuart, Calthorpe Road, Edgbaston	1	1	0
Tompkins, Miss L., Tinbridge Wells (To Kindergarten School)	0	10	0
Underwood, J. T., Aldridge Road, Perry Barr	0	10	6
Unite, Miss, 17, Trinity Road, Birchfield	1	1	0
Walford, John S., 62 and 63, Hampton Street, Birmingham	0	10	6
Webb, Charles & Son, Ltd., William Street, Lozells	1	1	0
Whitehead, Mrs. A. W., Rhyl	1	1	0
Willmott, Mrs., Yardley Road, Acock's Green	0	5	0

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FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st MARCH, 1903.	£	s.	d.
Carslake, J. Barham, 30, Westfield Road, Edgbaston	0	10	6
Dussault, Chovil and Co., 38, Summer Row, Birmingham	0	5	0
Gladstone, John, The Riddings, Hampton-in-Arden	1	0	0
Harrold, Miss E., Church Road, Edgbaston	2	2	0
Hooper, Miss A., Clodiagh, Leamington	1	1	0
Jones-Balme, F. E. T.	1	1	0
Montagu, Miss A., Melton Park, Doncaster	5	0	0
Montagu, Miss E. S., Melton Park, Doncaster	5	5	0
Morson, Mrs., Flemmynge House, Codsall	1	1	0
Norborough, Frederick, Lombard Street, Birmingham	0	2	6
Saddington, Miss, The Crescent, Birmingham	0	5	0
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				£	s.	d.	£ s. d.
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Adkins, Mrs.			0 10 0
Avery, W. B.	1	1	0
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Bond, Miss Edith...	0	5	0
Brown, Mrs.	0	5	0
Burt, Mrs.	0	5	0
Cave-Browne-Cave, Mrs.	0	5	0
Clark, Mrs. Goodrich	0	5	0
Clark, Mrs. Henry	0	5	0
Gibbins, J.	1	1	0
Jones, R...	1	1	0
Jones, The Misses	0	10	0
Kendall, Mrs.	0	2	6
Kendall, Miss	0	2	6
Leslie, Mrs.	1	0	0
Milward, Mrs. C. F.	0	5	0
Mitchell, Mrs. H.	0	5	0
Moore, Mrs.	0	5	0
Painter, Mrs.	1	1	0
Riddell, Mrs.	0	5	0
Southall, Mrs. W.	0	5	0
Taylor, F.	1	1	0
Taylor, Mrs. F.	0	10	6
Wenham, A. E.	1	1	0
Wilson, Mrs. Alfred	1	0	0
				£13	6	6	0 15 0

*Collected by Mrs. W. J. BENSON,
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Annual
Subscription. Donation

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
A. B. C. ...				0	2	6
Austin, Mrs.				0	2	6
Baker, Mrs. P.	0	5	0			
Bell, Miss Lilly				0	5	0
Benson, Mrs. W. J.	0	10	6			
Cooper, Mr.				0	2	6
Cooper, Mrs.				0	5	0
Edmonds, Miss				0	2	6
Green, Mrs.				0	5	0
Grew, Mrs. W. C.	0	10	6			
Heaven, Mrs. H.	0	5	0			
Horton, Mrs. J.	0	5	0			
Lea, Mrs. Percy	0	5	0			
Lee, Mrs.				0	2	6
Marsh, Mrs.				0	5	0
Owen, Wilfred	0	10	0			
Padmore, Mrs.				0	2	6
Rhodes, Mrs.	0	5	0			
Smith, Frederick				0	2	6
Stephens, Mrs.	0	5	0			
Timmings, Mrs.	0	5	0			
Tomlinson, Mr.				0	2	6
Young, Mrs.	0	2	6			
	£3	8	6	2	0	0

*Collected by Miss C. CADBURY,
216, Bristol Road:*

Barrow, Mrs. George	0	1	0	0
Barrow, Walter		0	5	0
Bottomley, The Misses		0	5	0
Butler, Mrs. Arnold		1	1	0
Cadbury, Barrow		1	0	0
Cadbury, George		2	0	0
Cadbury, Joel		0	10	6
Cadbury, The Misses		0	10	6
Cadbury, William A. (£1 paid in advance)	-	-	-	-

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				Annual			Donation.		
				Subscription.					
				£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<i>Collected by Miss C. CADBURY—continued.</i>									
	Brought forward	...	...	6	12	0			
Gibbins, Thomas	...	...	...	1	0	0			
Gibbins, Mrs. T.	...	...	...	1	0	0			
Gibbins, William	...	...	...	1	0	0			
Gibbins, W. B.	...	...	(Two years)	10	0	0			
Rickards, Mrs. E.	...	...	...	0	10	0			
Smithson, Mrs. George	...	...	...	1	0	0			
Wilson, Mrs. H. Lloyd	...	...	...	0	10	0			
				<hr/> £21 12 0 <hr/>					

<i>Collected by Miss F. COPE,</i>									
<i>Holly Cottage, Edgbaston :</i>									
Bowling-Trevarion, H. P.	...	...	...	0	5	0			
Capel, Mrs.	...	...	...	0	5	0			
Chance, Mrs. W. E.	...	...	...	0	5	0			
Chance, Mrs. A. M.	...	...	...	0	5	0			
Chance, Miss Ethel	...	...	...				0	10	0
Chavasse, Miss	...	...	...	0	2	6			
Cope, Miss	...	...	...	1	1	0			
Cope, Miss F.	...	...	...	0	6	6			
Dixon, Miss	...	...	...	0	10	0			
Feeney, Mrs.	...	...	...				0	10	0
Gomm, J. B.	...	...	...				0	10	0
Goodwin, Mrs.	...	...	...	0	5	0			
Harding, Mrs.	0	5	0			
Kamrenther, Mrs.	0	10	0			
Long, Miss M.	0	10	0			
Priest, H.	0	5	0			
Wiggin, Mrs.	0	5	0			
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<i>Collected by Mrs. F. B. GOODMAN,</i>									
<i>Stanton, Farquhar Road :</i>									
Chance, A. M.	0	10	6			
Goodman, F. B.	0	10	0			
Lea, Miss S. A.	0	10	0			
Parker, Mrs. Lawley	0	10	0			
				<hr/> £2 0 6 <hr/>					

*Collected by MRS. HERBERT LLOYD,
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	Annual Subscription.			Donation.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Chance, J. F.	1	0	0			
Chance, Miss	1	1	0			
Chance, George F.	1	0	0			
Chance, H. F.	1	10	0			
Fox, Mrs. Gerard	0	10	0			
Lloyd, A. Ll.	0	10	0			
Lloyd, H. F.	0	10	0			
Lloyd, Mrs. H.	1	1	0	3	3	0
	£7	2	0	3	3	0

*Collected by Miss MAYOU,
"Elsinore," Durdash Road:*

Anonymous				0	2	6
Bolton, W. Ashby	0	10	6			
Bracey, Miss	0	2	6			
Denne, Dr.				0	10	0
Edwards, Miss H.	0	10	0			
Edwards, Miss	0	5	0			
Edwards, Miss R.				0	12	6
Evans, Miss E. M.	0	5	0			
Firth, Miss				0	5	0
Gansby, Mrs.	0	2	6			
Gough, W. M.	0	10	0			
Lee, Mrs.	0	2	6			
M. A.	0	1	0			
Mathews, Mrs. G. S.	0	5	0			
Mayon, Miss	0	10	0			
Sharp, Mrs. E. M.	0	5	0			
	£3	9	0	1	10	0

*Collected by Miss W. MILLETT,
25, Carlyle Road:*

Bacon, Mr.	0	5	0			
Bacon, Mrs.	0	5	0			
"Berlin House"				0	7	9
Clarke, Miss	0	5	0			
Cohen, Miss				0	2	6
Currie, Mrs.	0	5	0			
Houghton, Mrs.				0	2	6
Lantz, Mrs.				0	2	0
Metcalf, Mr.				0	5	0
Millett, Mr.	0	5	0			
Millett, Mrs.	0	5	0			
In small sums				0	3	0
	£1	10	0	1	2	9

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					£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Beard, A. A.			0	5	0
Beard, W. H.			0	10	0
Poultney, E. J.			0	5	0
Poultney, H. E.			0	5	0
Poultney, Mrs. E.	0	5	0		
Poultney, W. S.			0	5	0
In small sums			0	5	0
					£20	5	0	1	15	0

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Shorthouse, J. W.	0	10	0				
					£22	0	0				

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Albright, Miss	1	1	0				
Bishop, Mrs. C. T.	0	10	0				
Lloyd, Mrs. J. H.	1	1	0				
Stacey, Miss	0	10	0				
Wilson, Mrs. J. W.	1	1	0				
Wilson, Mrs. J. E.	...	...	...	...	2	2	0				
					£6	5	0				

Paid to the SECRETARY :

Burnham, Miss, 18, Cambridge Crescent, Gough Road	0	5	0								
Coles, Mrs., 42, Craveney Road, Tooting, London, S.W.									0	2	0
Dixon, A., Birmingham	1	1	0								
Gibbins, W. B., Ettington (to purchase Embossed Books)									10	0	0
Giles, Miss, Linden Terrace, Monmouth Road	0	10	0								
Hands, Henry, 25, Beech Road, Sparkhill	0	2	6								
Lea, Miss, 24, Binswood Avenue, Leamington	0	5	0								
Leech, Rev. James, Victoria Road, Aston									1	1	0
Marriott, Messrs. R. and G. H., St. Paul's Square	1	1	0								
Smith, Miss J., Vicarage Road	0	5	0								
Tompkinson, Miss, 109, Woodland Road, Handsworth	0	5	0								
					£3	14	6		11	3	0

LIST OF PRICES.

BASKETS.

Bakers'	2/4	2/3	3/-	3/6
Bassinettes	3/-	3/6	4/6	5/- to 10/-
Bedroom Linen, upright, white	3/9	4/6	5/6	
" " " buff	4/9	5/6	6/6	
" " " shaped, buff	5/6	6/6	7/6	
" " " three corner buff,	6/6	to 8/6		
" " " buff and rush, from	4/9	to 8/6		
Butchers'	2/-	2/3	2/6	3/- 3/6 4/6
Chair Back Screens	from	3/3	to 5/-	
Chairs, Croquet	from	4/-	to 8/6	
Clothes, oval	2/-	2/6	3/-	3/6 4/3
" " footed, from 6d. to 9d. each extra				
Dress, buff	8/6	11/6	14/-	16/6

Baby Linen, Bread, Flour, Hoisting, Key, Letter, Sponge, Table Mats, Warehouse, Work, Wine Hampers, Nursery Chairs, Delivery on Wheels, &c., in Stock, or made to order.

Chairs re-seated with cane, 1/2, 1/4 to 2/6, and 3/-; with fancy wicker, 4/- to 7/6, or with Rush, 1/6 to 3/6.

No extra Charge for Collection and Delivery.

BRUSHES.

Banisters, soft	10d.	1/-	1/3	1/6
" " Japanned Handles	1/9	2/-	2/6	
" Whisk Carpet		1/3	1/6	
" Bass, Carpet		1/-	1/3	
" Bristle Carpet, Japanned Handles				
1/6 1/9 2/- 2/6 3/-				
" Double, soft and stiff sides		2/9		
3/- 3/6				
Brooms, household	2/-	2/6	3/-	3/6 4/- 4/9 5/6
" bass (best)	10d.	1/-	1/2	1/5 1/9 2/2
2/9				
Carpet Brooms, whisk	3/-	3/3	3/6	3/9
" " stiff bristle			4/-	7/6
" " bass		2/4	2/8	3/-
Cloth	1/-	1/3	1/6	1/9 2/- 2/3 2/6 3/-
" handled	2/-	2/6	3/6	4/6 5/6
" whisk	1/-	1/3	1/6	1/9

Dress, Covered and Lined	from	20/6	to 41/-
Grocers', with holes	2/3	2/9	3/3 3/6 4/- 4/9
5/9 6/9			
Kneeling Mats, straw or rush		1/3	1/6
Knife, tin lined	3/-	4/-	5/- 6/6
Linen Hampers, lidded	6/6	7/6	8/6 11/6
14/- 16/6			
Packing, square, unlidded	7d.	9d.	10d. 1/-
1/2 1/4 1/9 2/- 2/6 3/-			
Plate, baize lined	3/3	3	5/3 6/6
" round, tin lined		7/6	8/6 9/6
Scuttles, Cane		2/6	2/10 3/6
Waste Paper	1/3	1/6	1/9 2/- 2/6 3/-
Wine, partitioned			4/6 6/6

Clothes, whisk, handled	1/6	1/9	2/6
Dandy	9d.	1/2	1/4 1/6
Hair Brushes	from	1/6	to 5/6 each
Heath Brooms	1/-	1/3	1/6 1/9 2/-
" " gilt			2/- to 6/-
Plate, bent or straight	6d.	8d.	10d. 1/2 1/6
Scrubbing, white or brown	6d.	8d.	10d.
1/- 1/2			
Scrubbing, grey	1/3	1/6	1/9 2/-
Shoe, per set of three	2/6	3/-	3/6 4/6 5/-
6/- 7/6 9/-			
Stove or Grate, round face or porcupine		1/4	
1/6 1/9 2/-			
Stove or Grate, bent	1/-	1/3	1/4 1/6 1/9
Stove or Grate, single wing		10d.	1/- 1/4
1/6 1/8 1/9 1/10 2/6			
Stove or Grate, double wing		1/6	1/8 2/-
Sweepers', or flat dust	6d.	8d.	10d. 1/-

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WOOL HEARTH RUGS, VARIOUS PATTERNS.

<i>ft. m.</i>	<i>ft. in.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>
4 6 by	2 0 ..	16 6
5 0 „	2 2 ..	20 0
5 6 „	2 4 ..	23 6
5 9 „	2 6 ..	27 6
6 0 „	2 9 ..	29/6 10 32 6

WOOL MATS, VARIOUS PATTERNS.

<i>ft. m.</i>	<i>ft. in.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>
2 6 by	1 1	4 9
2 8 „	1 1	5 6
2 10 „	1 1	5 9
3 0 „	1 1	6 0
2 9 „	1 8	8 3

WOOL BORDER MATS, COCOA FIBRE CENTRES.

ORDINARY			FANCY FIGURED.		
<i>ft. in.</i>	<i>ft. m.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>ft. in.</i>	<i>ft. m.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>
2 6 by	1 1 ..	3 6	2 6 by	1 1 ..	4 3
2 7 „	1 1 ..	3 6	2 7 „	1 1 ..	4 3
2 8 „	1 1 ..	3 9	2 8 „	1 1 ..	4 6
2 9 „	1 1 ..	3 9	2 9 „	1 1 ..	4 6
2 10 „	1 1 ..	4 0	2 10 „	1 1 ..	4 9
3 0 „	1 1 ..	4 3	3 0 „	1 1 ..	5 0
2 9 „	1 8 ..	5 9	2 9 „	1 8 ..	6 9

COCOA FIBRE MATS.

<i>ft. m.</i>	<i>ft. in.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>ft. in.</i>	<i>ft. m.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>
2 0 by	1 2 ..	2 10	3 3 by	2 0 ..	8 3
2 3 „	1 4 ..	3 9	3 6 „	2 2 ..	9 6
2 6 „	1 6 ..	4 9	3 9 „	2 4 ..	11 3
2 9 „	1 8 ..	5 9	4 0 „	2 6 ..	12 6
3 0 „	1 10 ..	6 9	3 0 „	3 0 ..	11 3

SINNET OR SKELETON MATS.

<i>ft. m.</i>	<i>ft. in.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>
2 3 by	1 4 ..	3 0
2 6 „	1 6 ..	3 9
2 9 „	1 8 ..	4 6
3 0 „	1 10 ..	5 6
3 3 „	2 0 ..	6 6
3 6 „	2 2 ..	7 6
3 9 „	2 4 ..	8 9
4 0 „	2 6 ..	10 0

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Hearth Rugs, Wool, or Wool Bordered, Cocoa Fibre, or Sinnet Mats, made to any shape or size.

Carriage Mats, any colour or shape. Gymnasium Mats, any size or thickness.

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	s.	d.	s.	d.		s.	d.	s.	d.		
Antimacassars, Cotton	2	0	to	4	0	Knee Caps (knitted)	1	3	to	2	0
" Wool	3	6	.,	6	0	Lace (knitted) per yd	0	3	.,	0	6
Babies' Boots	1	0	.,	2	0	Mats (knitted) ..	0	9	.,	1	6
Babies' Gloves	1	0	.,	1	6	Mittlers ..	1	0	.,	2	6
Babies' Hats	2	3	.,	5	0	Petticoats (knitted)	5	0	.,	7	6
Balls, Woollen	0	6	.,	1	3	Reins (Children's)				3	6
Clouds	3	0	.,	6	0	Scouring Cloths.	0	6	.,	1	0
Crotchet, from 4d. per yard.						Shawls	2	6	.,	10	6
Cuffs ...	0	6	.,	1	0	Slippers (ladies')..	3	3	.,	4	0
" beaded	1	9	.,	2	9	Slippers (Children's)	2	6	.,	3	0
Dolls	1	0	.,	3	0	Stockings	2	0	.,	2	9
D'Oyleys	1	0	.,	2	3	Socks	1	0	.,	2	6
Garters ...	0	4	.,	1	0	Socks (sleeping)	2	0	.,	2	6
Gentlemen's Ties				1	3	Vests (plain)	1	6	.,	4	0
Gloves: Ladies', 2/-, Gents', 2/6.						" (shaped) ..	3	3	.,	4	3
Frilling, beaded.. ..	0	10	.,	1	6	Whips				0	9
Jackets	2	0	.,	3	9	Workbags, knitted	2	0	.,	3	0

Any other Articles made to size or order.

CARPENTRY.

Plain Articles in Woodwork, such as Knife, Packing, Soap, Housemaids', Tool, and other Boxes: Bookshelves, Brackets, Children's Wheelbarrows, Clothes-horses, Cupboards, Furnace Lids, Steps, Step-ladders, Stools, &c., kept in stock, or made to order.

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Pianofortes tuned by competent Blind Tuners at moderate terms.

ORDERS for the above, addressed to the Secretary, Henry Stainsby, are respectfully requested and will be carefully executed.

The INSTITUTION and WORKSHOPS are open to visitors daily (Saturdays and Sundays excepted). Vocal and Instrumental Music on Thursdays at 12 noon.

The SHOWROOM is open daily for the sale of Baskets, Brushes, Mats, Fancy Work, &c.

The TRAVELLERS wait periodically on Residents in Birmingham and the vicinity with a complete assortment of Goods. Special visits made on receipt of post-card.



The following Form of Bequest is recommended to those who may be desirous of so assisting this Institution.

I bequeath to the TREASURER (for the time being) of "THE GENERAL INSTITUTION FOR THE BLIND, EDGBASTON, BIRMINGHAM," whose receipt shall be an effectual discharge for the same, the sum of £ free of duty, to be applied to the purposes of that Institution.

NOTE.—By recent legislation, lands, tenements and hereditaments can be devised to and for the benefit of Charities, and also charged with the payment of Legacies, together with money secured upon mortgages, upon whatever property secured.

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